



Newsletter of the Hualapai Tribe  
**GAMYU**



**Dedication of Hualapai Veterans' Highway**  
*Submitted by: Kevin Davidson | Hualapai Planning Department*

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July 6, 2021, Route 66 Park, Peach Springs, Arizona



New sign installed along west bound lane of Route 66 at mile post 102.5, just east of the 4H facility.



Former Chairwoman Louise Benson passes the microphone to Chairman Damon Clarke to continue the dedication speeches.



Council members (L-R) Marshall, Powskey, Tapija, Watahomigie and Havatone join Chairman Clarke

With the help of Arizona State Senator Jamescita Peshlakai, Hualapai Tribal Council, Arizona State Board on Geographic & Historic Names and ADOT, Hualapai Veterans are getting much needed recognition for over a century of service in the United States armed forces. From the Meuse-Argonne Offensive of 1918 to service in Iraq and Afghanistan, over 200 Hualapai have served their country with seven making the supreme sacrifice in battle.

This service and sacrifice is emphasized in the state legislation as follows: Native Americans have served in the armed forces with the

highest record of military service of any group in the United States, that the courage, determination and fighting spirit of Native Americans have strengthened and continue to strengthen the United States, including the United States armed forces, that Native Americans have made the ultimate sacrifice in defense of the United States, even in times when Native Americans were not citizens of the United States, and that members of the Hualapai Tribe valiantly served in World War I, World War II, the Korean Conflict and the Vietnam War, and many serve in the United States armed forces today.

Members of tribal council, past and present, were on-hand Tuesday afternoon, July 6, to recognize the service and sacrifice of their fellow Hualapai and to receive the four new signs that will be placed along the 80-mile portion of historic Route 66 between Kingman and Seligman. Mike Whatoname, a veteran of the US Army and Arizona National Guard, performed a set of Hualapai birdsongs to commemorate the event.

This portion of State Route 66 has been designated the "Hualapai Veterans Highway" for all time. Hankyu! ■



Council members (L-R) Jolene Marshall, Jonell Tapija, and Blake Watahomigie enjoy the sun on the 100° F. day.

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**NEXT DEADLINE FOR  
GAMYU ARTICLES  
WILL BE ON:  
FRIDAY  
JULY 30, 2021  
BY 5:00 P.M.**



## **HUALAPAI VETERAN'S HIGHWAY DEDICATION**

### **JULY 6, 2021**

We, the Tribal Administration office were notified on July 6th that the signs for the Hualapai Veteran's Highway were going to place on Route 66 on July 7, 2021. So, in spite of not being notified of this historic event, we tried our best to notify the Departments, the community of dedicating the signs prior to placements. We announced this on the radio as well as we could, the signs were going to be delivered to the downtown Park at 3:00 p.m. 07/06/2021. At least we had that much known before placement on the roads. The following was stated:

“To all of you that have gathered here today. It brings me honor and pride to give this day at time to place in our history. We have been blessed to have people that have looked into what this day means to our Hualapai Veterans. At Hualapai, we want to thank Representative Jamescita Peshlakai and other AZ State Representatives their time, efforts and passage of this Honor and naming. We also want to thank and acknowledge Mr. Mike Whatoname for his grass roots efforts to this cause. He was key to honor our Veterans. As former Vice Chairman Mr. Philbert Watahomigie and I stood to testify at the office of Highway/Transportation in Phoenix, we were honored to speak on behalf of our Veterans and this cause.

Here, in Hualapai, this dedication and sign is a big deal. It is not just a sign— It is a symbol. It is a reminder that every man and every woman that dedicated their lives for our freedom is recognized. From Kingman to Seligman, and visa/ versa it will symbolize and honor our Hualapai Veterans. This will impact our lives moving forward as this is history in the making.

Thank you. Hualapai Veteran, We honor you.” Mr. Whatoname spoke on the reasons of why this came about, the past Veterans, the present, and his dream of this event. There were Council members Powskey, Tapija, Marshall, Watahomigie, Tapija present and made their presentations to the small group. We had a few Veterans present and again, we apologize to the shortness of this announcement. Otherwise the signs were being placed without knowledge.

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The Great Spirit created Man and Woman in his own image. In doing so, both were created as equals. Both depending on each other in order to survive. Great respect was shown for each other; in doing so, happiness and contentment was achieved then, as it should be now.

The connecting of the Hair makes them one person; for happiness or contentment cannot be achieved without each other.

The Canyons are represented by the purples in the middle ground, where the people were created. These canyons are Sacred, and should be so treated at all times

The Reservation is pictured to represent the land that is ours, treat it well.



The Reservation is our heritage and the heritage of our children yet unborn. Be good to our land and it will continue to be good to us.

The Sun is the symbol of life, without it nothing is possible - plants don't grow - there will be no life - nothing. The Sun also represents the dawn of the Hualapai people. Through hard work, determination and education, everything is possible and we are assured bigger and brighter days ahead.

The Tracks in the middle represent the coyote and other animals which were here before us.

The Green around the symbol are pine trees, representing our name Hualapai - PEOPLE OF THE TALL PINES -

**Hualapai Tribe**  
**Department of Planning & Economic Development**  
P.O. Box 179/887 W. Highway 66, Peach Springs, Arizona 86434  
Phone (928) 769-1310 \* Fax (928) 769-1377

## **The Planning Department is Seeking One New TERC Member**

Greetings Community Members:

The Planning Department is looking for one new applicant for the Tribal Environmental Review Commission (TERC) or Board of Commissioners. Below is a summary of what TERC is and what duties it performs.

Under the Hualapai Environmental Review Code (HERC), the Board of Commissioners has the primary authority, under the direction of the Hualapai Tribal Council, for regulating land use and development of Hualapai Tribal Lands. The Board of Commissioners is composed of seven (7) members who are appointed by the Tribal Council.

Their function is to review and regulate, including issuing permits, for all development activities that are proposed for any land site within Hualapai Tribal lands in order to ensure that:

- (1) no development activity will be carried out without a permit; and
- (2) all development activities will be carried out in accordance with all applicable tribal and federal environmental protection laws and regulations.

If you are interested, you can pick up an application at the Hualapai Planning Department located at 887 Hwy 66 (next to 76 fuel station). You can also request an application be mailed or e-mailed to you. **The due date for applications is Wednesday, August 25, 2021.** If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 769-1310 or e-mail at: [kdavidson@hualapai-nsn.gov](mailto:kdavidson@hualapai-nsn.gov)

Respectfully,

Kevin Davidson, Director





# RANCH AUCTION



**BID #1935 Panel and gates**  
22 panels/2 gates available  
\$30 ea.



**BID #1936 Misc. panels**  
11 available \$30 ea.



**BID #1937 - 90 Green panels and 1 gate available. \$30 ea.**



**BID #1938 - 120 panels**  
available. \$40 ea.



**BID #1939 Three mid-size**  
Gates available. \$40 ea.



**BID #1940 One large gate.**  
available. \$40



**BID #1941 Three XL gates**  
3 XL gates available. \$40 ea.

- **Winning Bidder is responsible for pick up within 2 weeks.**

**AUCTION RULES: Late bids will not be accepted.**

1. Only winning bidders will be notified. Winners and winning bid amounts are confidential.
2. If winning bidder decides not to purchase, they must notify GCRC in writing within 2 weeks.
3. In the event the winner opts out, the items will be sold to the next highest bidder.
4. If no other bids were received, items will be re-auctioned as open to all.
5. Once paid for and picked up by the winner, the auctioned items disposition is completely up to the winning bidder. GCRC is not responsible for the items after sale. Items are not guaranteed or warranted.

The Grand Canyon Resort Corporation is auctioning metal panels and gates.

Each photo has a Bid #

Auction Opens: Jul. 2, 2021

Auction Closes: Jul. 30, 2021

Announcement: Aug. 2, 2021

*Late bids will not be opened or accepted.*

## REQUIREMENTS:

- A minimum bid of amount listed under item #.
- Must be an enrolled Hualapai Tribal Member
- Bid must be received by 5PM on Jul 30, 2021.

## SUBMITTING YOUR BID:

Please submit your bid, along with the following information:

- Correct Bid #
- Full Name
- Contact Number
- Amount of bid, no less than listed amount.

## Bids may be mailed to:

Grand Canyon Resort Corporation  
Attn: Procurement Department  
PO BOX 359  
Peach Springs, AZ 86434

## Or hand delivered to:

Administrative office - Procurement Dept in Peach Springs.

Bids must be in a sealed envelope.

All interested bidders are welcome to inspect the item. For more information, you may contact the Hualapai Ranch at (928) 297-0950

**GCRC Employees are not eligible to bid at this time.**

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

### Election schedule for the 2021 Special Election.

June 21, 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Public Notice: Candidate Filing Period Opened to fill (1) Council Vacancy</li><li>• Public Notice of Special Election</li></ul>
July 16, 2021	Closing of Filing Period to Fill (1) Council Vacancy
July 19, 2021	Election Board Meeting to review Candidate Nominations
July 25, 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Post Final Candidate List</li><li>• Post Eligible Voter List</li><li>• Absentee Ballots Mailed Out</li></ul>
September 1, 2021	Last Day to Challenge Eligible Voter List
September 6, 2021	Final Posting of Eligible Voters
September 11, 2021	<u>DEADLINE</u> for Absentee Ballots to be Received by the Election Board
September 11, 2021	ELECTION DAY; <i>Multi-Purpose Building</i> <i>470 Hualapai Drive, Peach Springs, AZ</i> <i>86434</i>



## **NOTICE**

**Special Election – September 11, 2021**  
**8:00 am to 5:00 pm**  
**Multi-Purpose Building**  
*470 Hualapai Drive, Peach Springs, AZ 86434*

### **Question on the Ballot:**

**SHOULD THE TRIBAL COUNCIL BE AUTHORIZED  
TO SELL THREE HOMES LOCATED ON THE  
RESERVATION IN BOX CANYON?**

### **Voting**

All Adult Members (18+) of the Tribe will be eligible to vote.

Absentee ballots will be mailed to all adult members of the Tribe for the upcoming special election.

A polling site for in-person voting will also be available on Election Day at the multi-purpose building in Peach Springs, Arizona.

### **Coronavirus**

COVID-19 has created a serious health and safety threat to the voters of the Hualapai Tribe. Voting by Absentee Ballot will help protect the safety of the voters and the Election Board officials while guaranteeing the right to voter for all adult members of the Tribe.

The Election Board encourages everyone to vote by mail using an Absentee Ballot.

Please direct any questions to: *Hualapai Election Board*  
*PO Box 120, Peach Springs, Arizona 86434;*  
*Or email [elections@hualapai-nsn.gov](mailto:elections@hualapai-nsn.gov)*

**COMPLETED ABSENTEE BALLOTS MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE ELECTION  
BOARD BY September 11, 2021.**

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**ELECT (1) CANDIDATE TO FILL THE COUNCIL  
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**2021 HUALAPAI SPECIAL ELECTION  
CANDIDATE FILING FORM**

**Last Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **First Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **M.I.** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Physical Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, CERTIFY THAT I MEET THE MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS AS LISTED IN ARTICLE VIII, SECTION 5 OF THE HUALAPAI CONSTITUTION WHICH STATES:

(a) Any member of the Hualapai Tribe shall be eligible to run for tribal office if he:

- (1) I am at least twenty-five (25) years of age, and
- (2) Is a resident of the reservation for at least one (1) year, and
- (3) Has never been convicted of a felony or been convicted of three (3) misdemeanors within the last twelve (12) months, whether by Tribal, Federal or State Court.

**HUALAPAI TRIBE ELECTION ORDINANCE ARTICLE IV – QUALIFICATIONS, Section 1, C.1**

Candidates shall sign a statement that they have maintained and lived in their primary residence on the reservation for at least one year immediately prior to the general or special election, and, if elected, they shall maintain and live in a primary residence on the reservation through the duration of their term.

**I would like to place my name as a candidate for (SELECT ONE):**      ☐ **Councilperson**

**CANDIDATE RELEASE OF RECORDS AND CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION**

I am running for an elected position on the Hualapai Tribal Council. I understand that the Hualapai Tribal Constitution requires Tribal Council Members to meet certain qualifications as it relates to their background. I understand that background checks shall be conducted by the Hualapai Election Board through an outside agency (Federal and State) and the Hualapai Tribal Court for all potential candidates to determine their eligibility for office. I hereby consent to Federal, State and Tribal background checks and I consent to release all confidential information to the Hualapai Election Board.

\*My Social Security Number is: \_\_\_\_\_

\*My date of birth is: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\*SIGNATURE DATE

\*Indicates REQUIRED field.

**DEADLINE** FOR THE ELECTION BOARD TO RECEIVE A CANDIDATE FILING FORM IS **5:00 P.M. ON JULY 16, 2021.**

FORMS MUST BE MAILED TO:

Hualapai Election Board  
P.O. BOX: 120  
Peach Springs, AZ 86434

Or emailed to:  
[Elections@hualapai-nsn.gov](mailto:Elections@hualapai-nsn.gov)



## Hualapai Tribe ARPA Utility Assistance Program Description

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### I. Purpose

The purpose of the ARPA Utility Assistance Program is to assist Tribal Members 18 years and over with utility costs incurred due to the public health emergency with respect to COVID-19. The Program will promote the general welfare of the Hualapai Tribe ("Tribe").

The Tribal Council ("Council") found that Tribal Members do not have adequate funds to respond to COVID-19 and it has resolved that it is necessary to make additional resources available to Tribal Members, in particular to assist Tribal Members in the payment of utility costs, to ensure that Tribal Members continue to have access to the necessary utilities, such as water, trash, electric, propane, phone/internet, and wood.

This Program is designed to provide Assistance to eligible Tribal Members, including, but not limited to, Assistance as described herein. The Tribe's intent that the Assistance provided pursuant to the Program will meet the criteria set forth in Revenue Procedure 2014-35 as may be amended, and the Tribal General Welfare Exclusion Act of 2014, for treatment as a tax-exempt "Indian general welfare benefit," as defined within Internal Revenue Code, Section 139E.

### II. Definitions

The Program adopts the definitions provided in the ARPA Utility Assistance Program Title.

- a. **"Assistance"** – Means the benefits provided by this ARPA Utility Assistance Program.
- b. **"Beneficiary"** – Means the recipient of the Assistant under this program.
- c. **"Fiscal Year"** – Means the calendar year commencing January 1st and ending December 31st each year.
- d. **"Program"** – Means this ARPA Utility Assistance Program.
- e. **"Tribal Administrator"** – Means the person or entity appointed by the Council to execute the Program.
- f. **"Tribal Member"** – Means an enrolled member of the Hualapai Tribe.

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### III. Eligibility

The benefits of this Program are available to any member of the Hualapai Tribe who are 18 years and older who applies for such benefits.

### IV. Assistance Limits

- a. **One-Time Limitation:** All assistance provided pursuant to this Program is subject to the availability of funds. Financial assistance is limited to an aggregate amount as follows:

Adult Tribal Member - \$1,000.00

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- b. **General Welfare Limitations:** The Assistance will be made pursuant to this ARPA Utility Assistance Program, and the written guidelines provided in this Program Description. As outlined above, the Assistance is available to any Tribal Member who satisfies the applicable eligibility requirements, subject to budgetary constraints. The Assistance provided under this Program shall not discriminate in favor of the governing body of the Tribe. The Tribe will not provide Assistance in compensation for services. The Tribe will not provide Assistance that is lavish or extravagant.

**V. Eligible Program Assistance**

Program Assistance will be used by Beneficiary to assist in responding to the COVID-19 crisis.

**VI. Program Funds Disbursement Process**

- a. A Beneficiary is eligible to receive up to the maximum assistance limit, as set forth in this Program Description.
- b. Payment, in the form of a non-negotiable check, will be distributed directly to the utility company(s) identified by the Beneficiary. The Tribal Finance Director will disburse the assistance amounts to the utility company(s) identified by the Beneficiary.

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**VII. Miscellaneous**

- a. **Severability:** If any provision of this Program Description, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance, is held unconstitutional or invalid, only the invalid provision shall be severed, and the remaining provision and language of this Program Description shall remain in full force and effect.
- b. **No Waiver of Immunity:** All inherent sovereign rights of the Tribe, as a federally recognized Indian Tribe, are hereby expressly reserved, including sovereign immunity from unconsented suit. Nothing in this Program Description shall be deemed or construed to be a waiver or the Tribe's or any of its governmental officers, employees and/or agents' sovereign immunity from unconsented suit; or to create any private right of action.
- c. **Effective Date:** This Program shall become effective July 7, 2021.



# Hualapai Tribe

## ARPA Utility Assistance Program

941 Hualapai Way, Peach Springs, AZ 86434 Ph: 928-769-2216

### Application and Certification Form

Eligible Tribal Members 18 years and older may receive assistance if he/she obtains a bill in his/her name.

#### 1.) Tribal Member Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Enrollment #: \_\_\_\_\_

Service Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

#### 2.) Type of Utility Assistance Applying For:

☐ Water/Trash Utility Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Account No. \_\_\_\_\_

Amount to Pay: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Electric Utility Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Account No. \_\_\_\_\_

Amount to Pay: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Propane Utility Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Account No. \_\_\_\_\_

Amount to Pay: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Wood Vendor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Amt of Cords: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount to Pay: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Phone/Internet Utility Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Account No. \_\_\_\_\_

Amount to Pay: \_\_\_\_\_



**3.) If you rent, do you pay the utility company directly or to the Landlord?**

	To Company	To Landlord
Water/Trash	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Electric	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Propane	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Phone/Internet	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**4.) For all utility bills being covered by this application, please attach a copy of the utility bill to the application.**

**5.) Certification and Consent**

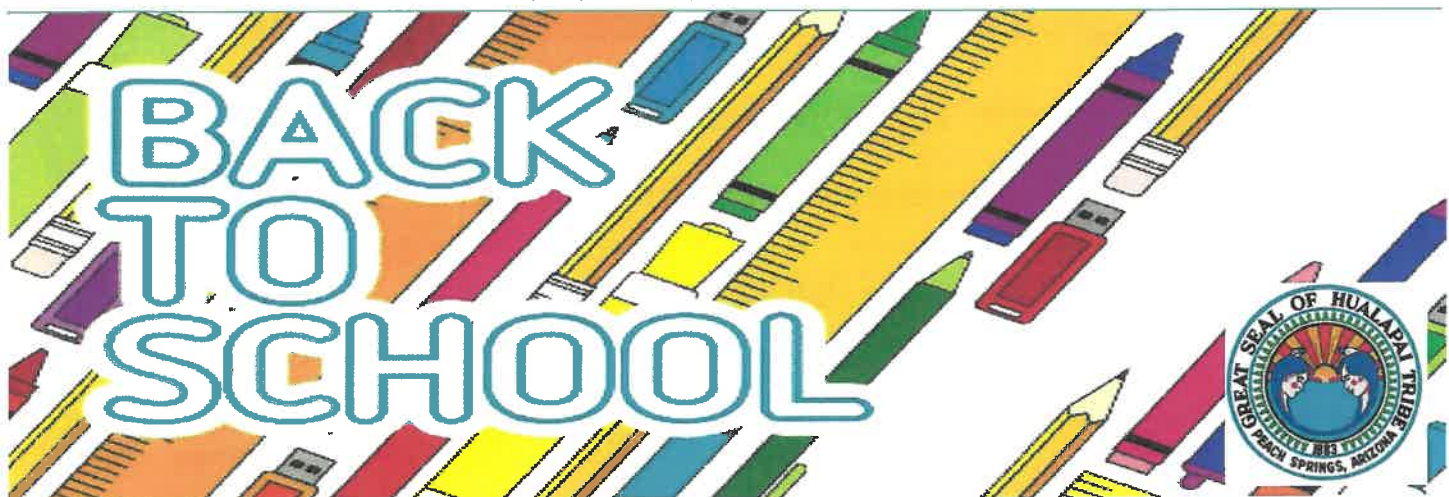
I hereby apply for utility assistance through the Hualapai Tribe for American Rescue Plan Act Funds for the amounts specified above. I hereby authorize the Tribe to make payments directly to the utility companies identified above, on my behalf, as applied for in this application.

I understand that by signing this application, I am not guaranteed utility assistance and I am still responsible for any unpaid utility bills. I understand I will have to file additional application(s) for future needs and there is no guarantee that funds for utility assistance will be available.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print (required)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature (required)



## School Clothing Assistance is available

- **Must be up to date with receipts from 2020-2021 School year**
- **Include Application, last semester report card and 2021-2022 enrollment**
- **Verification of in-class instruction, i.e. class schedule or assigned days. 2 or more days qualifies. Parentvue can be used to verify.**

**Please Email to [gaming@hualapai-nsn.gov](mailto:gaming@hualapai-nsn.gov)**

**Or Call Joyce @ (928)769-2216 Ext. 1111**

• **Please allow full 10 days processing due to disbursement checks.**

# Hualapai Tribe

P.O. Box 179

Peach Springs, AZ 86434

PHONE: (928)769-2216 ext. 1111

Fax: (928)769-2343

Email: [gaming@hualapai-nsn.gov](mailto:gaming@hualapai-nsn.gov) or [joyce.powskey@hualapai-nsn.gov](mailto:joyce.powskey@hualapai-nsn.gov)



[www.hualapai-nsn.gov/government/finance](http://www.hualapai-nsn.gov/government/finance)

## Gaming Assistance Application

Primary Contact: (Last, First, Middle)

Best Contact Phone Number:

Mailing Address: (City, State, and Zip Code)

Physical Address:

### Type of Assistance:

Email:

<input type="checkbox"/> - Utilities	<input type="checkbox"/> - Medical	<input type="checkbox"/> - Education	<input type="checkbox"/> - Dental
<input type="checkbox"/> - Electricity \$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> - Phone \$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> - Propane \$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> - Water \$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> - Wood \$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> - Equipment / Supplies <input type="checkbox"/> - Travel <input type="checkbox"/> - Vision*  If you are requesting a travel advance/reimbursement for a medical appointment, please include a copy of your appointment slip. Assistance is limited to patient and one (1) caregiver and may only be used for fuel, lodging, and meals. Vision is on pg. 2.	<input type="checkbox"/> - Computer <input type="checkbox"/> - Clothes  *Attach report card for previous semester/quarter.* Proof of current enrollment.	<input type="checkbox"/> - Dentures <input type="checkbox"/> - Braces  *Attach quote with W-9 from Dentist or clinic.
Include an invoice, receipt, or bill payment stub must be attached and in the name of the Tribal member.			
<input type="checkbox"/> - Elderly Social Service: (attach quote / receipt)			

Please note: Requests must be received by the Gaming Clerk at least ten (10) calendar days prior to the invoice due date. The Hualapai Tribe is not responsible for utility service disconnections or associated reconnection fees. By signing, you certify that the information provided on this application is accurate. Providing misleading or false information will result in a denial of applicant's request.

List everyone in the household (including yourself)	Relationship to you	Date of Birth	Social Security Number	Enrollment Number
	SELF		XXX - XX -	
			XXX - XX -	
			XXX - XX -	
			XXX - XX -	
			XXX - XX -	
			XXX - XX -	
			XXX - XX -	
			XXX - XX -	

Signature

Date

(For Accounting Use Only)

Date rec'd \_\_\_\_\_ Receipts Rec'd ☐ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ Available Balance \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Posted \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Membership Verified ☐ Yes Elderly ☐ Yes Disability ☐ Yes ☐ APPROVED ☐ DENIED Processed by \_\_\_\_\_



## Hualapai Tribe Complaint Form

### (The Hualapai Community at Large)

**PURPOSE:** The purpose of submitting a complaint to council is to resolve issues that affect the community at large i.e. policy, laws, etc.

Issues that pertain to personnel, are required to follow the Hualapai Personnel Policy and Procedures Manual; as all decisions are **final** from the Personnel Committee.

If you have other complaints please fill out the form, this also has steps to follow to try and resolve the issue. Some of the departments have committees that can look into some complaints.

A complaint will not be accepted, if it is on behalf of another individual. Any issues that are in Tribal Court, will not be accepted, until the matter has completed the entire process (to include appeals), with supporting Tribal Court Adjudication.

<b>Name</b>	<b>Type of Complaint</b>
<b>Date</b>	<b>Phone Number</b>
<b>Email Address</b>	<b>Address</b>

#### Guidelines for Completing this Form:

The Hualapai Tribe is committed to investigate all complaints and take appropriate action to resolve the issue. Please take time to read these guidelines:

1. Attempt to respectfully resolve your complaint directly with the individual/department. A written statement from the individual/department will be required to move the complaint to the next step.
2. Please complete the Hualapai Tribe Complaint Form to the best of your knowledge with true and factual statements.
3. Please attach any supporting documents and/or pictures.
4. Ensure you sign the complaint form. ***Anonymous complaints will not be accepted.***
5. Please return completed form by mail, fax, e-mail, or hand delivered to the following address:

Hualapai Tribal Administration  
 Attention: Christine Lee, Executive Secretary  
 941 Hualapai Way  
 PO Box 179  
 Peach Springs, AZ 86434  
 Fax: (928) 769-2434  
 Email: [tribalcouncil@hualapai-nsn.gov](mailto:tribalcouncil@hualapai-nsn.gov)

6. Hualapai Tribal Administration will acknowledge receipt of your complaint and advise you of the steps taken to investigate the matter, in writing. Allow up to 10 business days for a written response.

Date/Time Received	
Received By	
Referred to	
Response Sent Date/Time	

Administration Use Only

### Nature of the Problem:

As fully as possible, please describe the events in the order in which they happened, including specific dates, names of involved individuals, and any other details that will support your complaint. Enclose copies of supporting documentation and correspondence that may be helpful. (If additional space is needed please attach a separate sheet.)

This image shows a single sheet of white paper with horizontal blue or grey ruling lines. The lines are evenly spaced and run across the width of the page. There are approximately 20 lines visible. The paper appears to be a standard notebook page.

**Resolution:**

In detail, describe how you would like this complaint resolved. Please include resolutions that are **realistic**, and will be beneficial for all parties involved.

[illegible]

**Disclaimer:**

I acknowledge the information I have provided on this complaint form is true and accurate. Providing misleading or false information will result in automatic termination of the complaint. I understand that completion of this form is voluntary, but failure to provide requested information and/or failure to sign this form may delay or preclude investigation of my complaint. I understand that, as part the complaint procedure, a copy of this form may be forwarded to the individual/department that is the subject of my complaint or other third-party investigators.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Required\*\***

# Hualapai Business License Draft Ordinance available for your Review and Comment

## ▪ Introduction

- The Hualapai Tribe is approached from time to time by both tribal members and non-tribal members seeking to establish a business on the Hualapai Reservation.
- On May 6, 2021, tribal council directed the Planning Department to update the tribe's business ordinance which dates to 1946.
- Tribal council then appointed a seven member committee to assist Planning with the update.
- The committee presented the draft ordinance to tribal council at their July 10 meeting and council directed the draft ordinance be published for 30-day review.

## ▪ Ordinance contains language

- To ensure that residents of the Reservation enjoy adequate employment, health care, education opportunities, and social services, and
- To promote economic development on the Reservation, trust and fee lands, and
- To identify and regulate all applicable persons and entities doing business on the Reservation, trust and fee lands, and
- To ensure that safeguards are in place to promote the peace, safety, morals, and general welfare of the Tribe, and
- To protect sovereign immunity, collect fees, and provide judicial review,
- To provide exemptions, classes, terms and conditions for licenses, as well as grounds for denial and revocation of licenses, and
- To enforce fines and penalties on those not following the ordinance.



## Community Outreach

**Comments due on  
August 27, 2021**

Draft Ordinance available on  
Tribe's website:

<http://hualapai-nsn.gov/>

And Peach Springs  
Community News:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1113648149020641/?ref=share>

KWLP Radio Interview on  
Wednesday July 28, 2021 at  
9:00 AM

Text to (928) 769-1090

Hard Copies of Draft  
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Planning Department, 887 Hwy  
66 & Tribal Office Lobby, 941  
Hualapai Way

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## Draft Hualapai Business License Ordinance

Adoption:

Revisions:

Disclaimer:

### A - TITLE, AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE

1. This Act shall be known as the Hualapai Business License Ordinance. Any prior business license ordinances or codes imposed by the Hualapai Tribe are repealed.
2. The Hualapai Tribe establishes the ordinance pursuant to Article V, Section L and O of the Constitution of the Hualapai Indian Tribe of the Hualapai Indian Reservation.
3. Purpose
  - a. The Hualapai Tribe has existed as an independent, sovereign tribe since time immemorial. Today, the tribe continues to govern the Hualapai Indian Reservation, its trust lands, and properties held in fee title, limited only in its authority by its Constitution and the Constitution and laws of the United States.
  - b. The Hualapai Tribal Council is the governing legislative body of the Hualapai Tribe and has the sole and exclusive authority to grant, deny, or withdraw the privilege of doing business within the Reservation, trust and fee lands, except where such authority is limited or withdrawn from the Tribe by the applicable laws of the United States.
  - c. The tribal council is responsible for economic development on the Reservation, trust and fee lands and seeks to ensure that residents of the Reservation enjoy adequate employment, health care, education opportunities, social services, and other governmental services.
  - d. It is the policy of the Hualapai Tribe to promote economic development on the Reservation, trust and fee lands. To achieve that goal, the Hualapai Tribe is adopting a business license program to identify and regulate all applicable persons and entities doing business on the Reservation, trust and fee lands.
  - e. The Hualapai Tribe has a primary interest in regulating the conduct of business and trade on the Reservation, trust and fee lands to ensure that safeguards are in place to promote the peace, safety, morals, and general welfare of the Tribe. It is therefore appropriate that all persons who exercise the privilege of engaging in business on the Reservation, trust and fee lands register and obtain a business license from the Hualapai Tribe through its \_\_\_\_\_ Department (see B.3 below).

## B - GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. Sovereign Immunity - The Hualapai Tribe and all its constituent parts, subordinate organizations, boards, and committees are immune from suit in any jurisdiction except to the extent the Hualapai Tribe or the United States Congress has expressly and unequivocally waived such immunity. The Hualapai Business License Ordinance shall not be construed in any way as a waiver of the Hualapai Tribe's sovereign immunity.
2. Definitions
  - a. "Applicant" means any person who submits an application to the Tribe for a business license and who has not yet received such license.
  - b. "Business" means all activities or action, personal, corporate or otherwise, engaged in with the object of profit, gain, benefit or advantage, either directly or indirectly, wholly or in part, within lands subject to the jurisdiction of the Hualapai Indian Tribe or engaged in business directly with the Hualapai Indian Tribe on a regular or temporary basis; however, that an isolated sale of property or services shall not be considered to be business under this Title.
  - c. "Company" means any person or group of people engaged in business.
  - d. "Conservation Sales Tax" means a tax imposed on every transaction occurring on the reservation (See Ordinance No. 30-98)
  - e. "Enterprise" means that enterprise established by the Hualapai Tribe, namely the Grand Canyon Resort Corporation.
  - f. "Licensee" means any person who is granted a business license by the Tribe.
  - g. "Peddler" means any person with no fixed place of business who goes from place to place within the exterior boundaries of the Hualapai Reservation, trust or fee lands for the purpose of offering for sale, selling or attempting to sell, and delivering immediately upon sale, or attempting to obtain order for, the goods, wares, products, merchandise, food, or other property that the person is carrying or otherwise transporting. Peddler shall include a transient merchant, meaning any person with no fixed place of business who temporarily engaged in business out of a vehicle, cart, stand, wagon, trailer, boxcar, tent, other portable shelter, empty store front, or from one's person, within the exterior boundaries of the Hualapai Reservation, trust or fee lands for the purpose of exposing or displaying for sale, selling or attempting to sell, and delivering good, wares, products, merchandise, food, or other property, and who does not remain or intend to remain in any one location or within 100 yards of that location for more than four (4) consecutive days.
  - h. "Person" means any natural person, trustee, receiver, assignee, trustee in bankruptcy, court appointed representative, syndicate, association, partnership, firm, club, political entity, company, corporation, business, joint stock company, trust, institution, agency, government corporation, municipal corporation, political subdivision, contractor, supplier, vendor, vendee, operator, user or owner, or any officers, agents, employees or other representative, acting either for himself or herself or for any other person in any capacity, or any other entity recognized by law as the subject of rights and duties. The term does not include:
    - i. The government of the Hualapai and any governmental entities of the Hualapai Tribe, or the federal or state government and their respective agencies; or

- ii. Any of the above-listed forms of business entities that are wholly owned and operated by the Hualapai Tribe or the federal or state government.
- i. "Possessory Interest Tax" means the tax on non-exempt interest in real or personal property used in association with a business venture (See Ordinance No. 26).
- j. "Reservation" means the territory within the boundaries of the Hualapai Indian Reservation, all lands outside and inside the exterior boundaries of the Reservation which are under the jurisdiction of the Hualapai Tribe, and such other lands without such boundaries as may hereafter be added thereto under any law of the United States of America, except as otherwise provided by law.
- k. "Sale" means all sales, barter, trades, exchanges, or other transfers of ownership for value of property from a retailer to any person.
- l. "Service of process" means the delivery of show-cause orders, cease and desist orders, summonses, complaints and other documents of the Hualapai Tribe.
- m. "Services" means the performance of labor for the benefit of another for consideration. It excludes labor performed by an employee for the benefit of his or her employer.
- n. "TERO" means the Tribal Employment Rights Office of the Hualapai Tribe.
- o. "Tribal Environmental Review Commission (TERC)" means the administrative body established under Section 301 of the Hualapai Environmental Review Code to review and regulate, including issuing permits for, all development activities that are proposed for any site within Hualapai tribal lands.<sup>1</sup>
- p. "Tribal Law" means the Tribal Constitution, and the Tribal Law and Order Code, as amended hereafter, and any other law made applicable by order of the Tribal Court.
- q. "Tribal Member" or "Member of the Tribe" means an enrolled member of the Hualapai Tribe. A corporation, partnership or other entity shall be considered a tribal member, for purposes of this Ordinance only, if tribal members own 51% or more of the entity.
- r. "Vendor or Supplier" means one that sells goods or services from a fixed location and not otherwise classified as a "Peddler."

3. Administration of this Ordinance - The Hualapai Tribal Council hereby delegates to the \_\_\_\_\_ Department the following authority:

- a. To establish any lawful licensing criteria and application forms or methods for determining whether applicants for a business license should be issued the requested license; and
- b. To consult and coordinate with other tribal departments on applications which require additional permitting and approvals by the tribe; and
- c. To issue, suspend, or revoke such a license; and
- d. To enforce the provisions of this Ordinance by issuing notices of violation, issuing notices to cease and desist, assessing civil fines, bringing actions in the Hualapai Tribal Court, and administering other penalties as provided by this Ordinance.

The Hualapai Tribal Council reserves the authority to hear and decide upon any and all license applications. In addition, the Hualapai Tribal Council reserves the authority to establish by resolution or by amendment to this Ordinance any additional criteria for the evaluation of license applications and issuance of business licenses or any regulation regarding the conduct

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<sup>1</sup> TERC Rules, Section 101.a.1



of business, or to repeal or amend by resolution or by amendment to this Ordinance any or all such criteria hereafter established by the \_\_\_\_\_ Department as the Hualapai Tribal Council sees fit. In the event that an existing \_\_\_\_\_ Department criterion or policy conflicts with any part of this Ordinance, this Ordinance shall control.

4. **Business License Fees** – The Hualapai Tribal Council shall set all business license fees.
5. **Severability** - If any provision of this Ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstance, is held invalid by a final judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are severable.
6. **Judicial Review and Jurisdiction**
  - a. Any person or entity aggrieved by a decision of the \_\_\_\_\_ Department may file an appeal with the Hualapai Tribal Court. An appeal must be filed within 20 calendar days after receipt of notice of the \_\_\_\_\_ Department’s decision. The \_\_\_\_\_ Department shall represent the interests of the Hualapai Tribe during appeal.
  - b. Upon filing of the appeal, the Tribal Court shall have exclusive jurisdiction to affirm, modify, or set aside the decision of the \_\_\_\_\_ Department, in whole or in part. Findings of fact by the Tribal Court, when supported by substantial evidence, shall be conclusive.
7. **Effective Date** - This Ordinance shall take effect upon enactment by the Tribal Council.

## C - LICENSE

### 1. License Required of all Businesses; No Effect on Other Laws

- a. All persons conducting or engaged in business upon any land subject to the jurisdiction of the Hualapai Tribe or engaged in business directly with the Hualapai Tribe must fill out an application and provide all required documentation, obtain a tribal business license, and pay the license fee, as provided in this Section, prior to engaging in such business. For any business license, said license shall remain in effect until the natural expiration of its term, at which time the person shall be required to obtain a new tribal business license as provided in this Section.
- b. The tribal business license provided for in this Section is required of every business upon any land subject to the jurisdiction of the Hualapai Tribe or engaged in business directly with the Hualapai Tribe, whether temporary or permanent, regardless of whether such business is required to obtain a federal trader's license or permit, or any other license or permit required under the laws of the Hualapai Tribe, the State of Arizona, or the United States of America, and shall include all entities required to obtain a federal tax identification number. Separate licenses shall be obtained for each branch establishment or each separate location of a business.
- c. Nothing in this Section affects, limits, alters, modifies, or waives the need for a business to obtain all licenses and permits required by applicable law. The issuance of a business license shall not be deemed or construed as a certification of a business's compliance with other applicable regulations or laws. Additional permits and licenses may be necessary before a person may lawfully conduct business that may include compliance with TERO and the issuance of a development permit from the Tribal Environmental Review Commission via the Planning Department.
- d. The business license holder shall be responsible for any wrongful or negligent acts or omissions performed by the business, employees of the business or subcontractors associated with the business's adherence to the license requirements and agrees to indemnify and hold the Tribe harmless from any liability or damage to persons or property that arises from or is related to any such act or omission, including any attorney fees that may be incurred.

### 2. Exemptions

- a. The following shall not be required to obtain a license or pay a fee under this Ordinance:
  - i. Federal, state, and local governmental entities.
  - ii. Hualapai Tribal enterprises.
  - iii. Persons employed by a business subject to the license requirements of this Ordinance.
  - iv. Persons engaged in the type of sales commonly known as garage sales, rummage sales, or estate sales.
  - v. Tribal member vendors whose annual sales are less than \$7,500<sup>2</sup>
  - vi. Persons who are agents of artists or performers.

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<sup>2</sup> Itinerant vendors who are members of the Hualapai Tribe or are immediate family members of a tribal member whose sales do exceed \$7,500 per annum are not required to collect or remit the Conservation Sales Tax (Section 9.D).

- vii. *Persons obtaining a grazing permit under Ordinance 2B.*
- viii. *Persons obtaining a permit pursuant to Ordinance 24-70.*
- ix. *Persons obtaining a harvesting permit per Ordinance 61-D.*
- x. *Tribal members doing fund raising events (original language).*
- xi. Tribal members engaged in the creation or sale of traditional Indian art or handicrafts.
- xii. Tribal members engaged in the traditional practice of medicine.
- xiii. Persons solicited by the tribe to do business on the reservation.
- xiv. Entities exempted by resolution of the Hualapai Tribal Council.
- b. The following shall not be required to pay a fee for the issuance of a license under this Ordinance:
  - i. Any church engaged in raising funds for religious or charitable purposes.
  - ii. Any accredited school, where no part of the income accrues to the personal benefit of any individual.
  - iii. Any other business, the entire proceeds of which are distributed to any charitable, religious, or educational group or organization.
  - iv. All nonprofit, charitable institutions or organizations that engage in business activity in order to raise funds for social, educational, religious or other purposes that are for the benefit of the community.
  - v. *Any business proposed by a member of the Hualapai Tribe (original language).*
  - vi. Utility and telecommunications companies.
  - vii. All other exemptions recognized by federal law and statutes.

All other exemptions must be published by written policy of the \_\_\_\_\_ Department, and may be repealed, amended, or supplemented by the Hualapai Tribal Council by resolution or amendment to this section.

### 3. Application for Business License

- a. An applicant intending to conduct business within lands subject to the jurisdiction of the Tribe shall complete and file with the \_\_\_\_\_ Department an application for business license prior to commencing business on lands under the jurisdiction of the Hualapai Tribe.
- b. Persons engaged in such business on the effective date of this Ordinance shall complete and file an application for business license within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this Ordinance. Failure to renew an annual license by January 1 of a given year shall result in the imposition of a late fee. The late fee shall be \$20.00 if paid after the due date but within thirty (30) days of its due date. Thereafter, the late fee shall increase by \$10.00 for each subsequent month that the fee is not paid. Late fees shall be added to and included with the total license fee.
- c. All applications shall include:
  - i. A description of the business.
  - ii. The name and address of the owners of the business.
  - iii. The trade name, if any, to be used by the business.
  - iv. The locations on the lands of the Hualapai Tribe at which the business will be conducted.

- v. A sworn statement that the applicant will comply with all tribal laws applicable to the applicant's business.
- vi. A statement that the applicant consents to the jurisdiction of the Hualapai Tribal Court and service of process in matters arising from the conduct of business.
- vii. The name, address, and signature of the agent who will accept service of process on behalf of the business.
- d. Supplemental information and requirements
  - i. Food Vendors - No person may produce or sell food that (1) is sold directly to the end consumer and (2) that requires time and temperature control for safety or specialized processing, as determined by the tribe, unless such person has training in basic food handling principles. This training must be received at least every two (2) years and must be accredited and certified by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). Proof that a person has received such training shall be provided with each license application and renewal and upon the request of the Tribe. Training as a food protection manager may also satisfy the food handling training requirement. Food vendors shall also carry insurance as required by the tribe.
  - ii. Service Providers – Service providers shall be licensed in their respective fields and carry professional, general liability, automotive, workmen's compensation and umbrella/excess liability insurance to cover claims for bodily injury or property damage for customers, vendors or other third parties.<sup>3</sup>
  - iii. Construction Contractors – Contractors shall be licensed in the State of Arizona, be in good standing with the Arizona Registrar of Contractors and be bonded and insured.
  - iv. Certificates of Insurance - Applicant shall provide the \_\_\_\_\_ Department Certificates of Insurance evidencing compliance with the above insurance requirements (see Attachment A for insurance clauses). Insurance carriers licensed to do business in the State of Arizona shall issue all insurance certificates and all such carriers shall be rated with an A.M. Best rating of no less than "A."
  - v. Start-Up and Speculative Ventures Requiring a Commercial Lease and/or a Development Permit from the Tribe– Provide a business plan and proforma showing projected revenues and expenses for the first ten years of operation. These application shall be vetted by TERC/Planning prior to issuing a business license.
- e. The \_\_\_\_\_ Department shall notify the applicant by regular mail within fourteen (14) days after receipt of the application whether a license shall be issued. The license shall include a Tribal Taxpayer Identification Number.

#### 4. Classes of License

- a. Short-Term Business License: All persons engaged in business on lands under the jurisdiction of the Hualapai Tribe for a period of one (1) to seven (7) days shall have a Short-Term Business License. The application fee for a Short-Term Temporary Business License shall be \$50.00.

<sup>3</sup> Summarized from the Mahoney Group insurance clauses – see Attachment A for insurance clauses.



- b. Seasonal Business License: All persons engaged in business on lands under the jurisdiction of the Hualapai Tribe of more than seven (7) days but less than three (3) months shall have a Seasonal Business License. The application fee for a Seasonal Business License shall be \$100.00.
  - c. Annual Business License: All persons engaged in business on lands under the jurisdiction of the Hualapai Tribe for a period of three (3) months or more shall have an Annual Business License. The application fee for an Annual Business License shall be \$150.00.
  - d. For any license in this Section, the fee for a qualified Indian-owned firm or entity shall be one-half the amount set out herein. Indian owned firms or entities must have at least 51% of the company controlled by a member(s) of a federally recognized Indian Tribe (see Attachment B for Supplemental Questionnaire for Native American Owned Companies).
  - e. Renewal application for an annual business license shall be made 30 days prior to expiration of such license.
5. Term of License - All Annual Licenses shall expire at 11:59 p.m. on December 31 of the year of issuance of the license.
6. Consolidated License - For businesses with multiple branches or locations, the \_\_\_\_\_ Department may issue a consolidated license covering all of the person's businesses, provided that the same type of business is conducted at each location. The fee for a consolidated license shall be determined based on the class of license issued pursuant to this Ordinance multiplied by the number of separate branches or locations of the business located on lands within the jurisdiction of the Hualapai Tribe.
7. Denial of License or Renewal
- a. A business license shall be issued to applicants whose presence on the Hualapai Tribe's lands will be beneficial to the Hualapai Tribe and will not endanger the public health, safety, or welfare of tribal members, and who have met all of the requirements set forth under Hualapai Tribal law.
  - b. A business license application shall be denied if it is determined that the applicant has materially misrepresented facts contained in the application or that the business will threaten the peace, safety, morals, or general welfare of the Hualapai Tribe, or if the applicant is, at the time of the application or renewal application, delinquent in the payment of any license fees, conservation sales tax, possessory interest tax, including interest or penalties, or if the applicant is in any other respect in violation of Hualapai Tribal law.
8. Conditions of License
- a. Each licensee shall comply with all Hualapai Tribal laws, including but not limited to: tax laws, Indian employment and contracting preference laws (TERO), and applicable federal law. The licensee is required to comply with any additional Hualapai Tribal laws that may be enacted by the Hualapai Tribe.

- b. Each licensee consents to the jurisdiction of the Hualapai Tribal Court as to any cause of action arising in connection with the transaction of any business within the lands of the Hualapai Tribe, or any tortious acts committed in connection with the transaction of any business within the lands of the Hualapai Tribe.
  - c. Each licensee shall respond in a timely manner to requests for information about the licensee's business for the purpose of establishing whether the licensee is in compliance with the terms of this Ordinance.
  - d. Rules for use of tribal facilities by business licensees
    - i. Licensees may set up tables or other displays of goods for sale and conduct transactions at Tribal facilities as described in their business license application, subject to the permission of the on-site management of the facility. Licensees may request but are not guaranteed the use of existing tables or other amenities at the facility, or access to the facility on a particular day or time.
    - ii. Licensees may conduct sales during regularly scheduled business hours of 8:00 a.m. through 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, or at other hours by the permission of the Tribe. Licensees may not conduct sales during administrative closures or holidays without the permission of the Tribe.
    - iii. Licensee hours, locations, products, services, and methods may be restricted by the \_\_\_\_\_ Department to accommodate Tribal programs, activities and events, or to protect the safety, security, health, or welfare of the Hualapai Tribal community.
    - iv. Licensees are prohibited from entering individual offices or any other parts of tribal facilities other than those areas that are kept open to the general public for the purpose of promoting or conducting sales.
    - v. Licensees shall not bring pets into a tribal facility to accompany them while they are conducting sales, and children accompanying the licensee must be supervised by a parent or adult guardian at all times.
    - vi. Licensees shall not engage in activities or behaviors that disrupt, interrupt, or interfere with the operations of a tribal facility, and must comply with all reasonable requests and instructions of the tribal facility staff, including without limitation leaving the tribal facility if their activities or behaviors are, in the sole judgment of the staff, intolerably disruptive.
9. Revocation of License - If any business is more than sixty (60) days delinquent in the payment of any license fees, interest, or penalties imposed by this Ordinance, or is otherwise not in compliance with the Hualapai Tribe laws, that business may, after notice, be subject to revocation of the tribal business license of such business.
10. Reinstatement of License - Upon application, the Hualapai Tribe may reinstate a business license that has been revoked upon the payment of all license fees, penalties, and interest owed by the business pursuant to this Ordinance, provided that the business is otherwise in compliance with Hualapai Tribal law, and provided further that as a condition of reinstatement that the applicant may be required to furnish a bond to the Hualapai Tribe, or other adequate security. An applicant shall pay a reinstatement fee of \$50.00, in addition to any other fees and penalties due.

11. License Not Transferable - The license provided for in this Ordinance is not transferable, and is valid only for the person in whose name it is issued and for the transaction of business of the same type and at the place or places designated therein.
12. Posting of License - Each business shall post its tribal business license in a conspicuous location at its place of business.

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## D - VIOLATIONS

### 1. Penalties

- a. Conducting business within lands subject to the jurisdiction of the Hualapai Tribe without a properly issued business license or the failure by any licensee to comply with the requirements of this Ordinance or the paying of the tribe's Conservation Sales Tax (Ordinance No. 30-98, as amended) and the Possessory Interest Tax (Ordinance No. 26 as applies to real and personal property) shall subject the person to any of the following:
  - i. Forfeiture of license;
  - ii. Forfeiture to the Hualapai Tribe of all improvements constructed on, or any personal and/or real property found upon, tribally owned lands;
  - iii. Exclusion from the lands of the Hualapai Tribe; and
  - iv. Civil fines as set out in this Section.
- b. Enforcement Process
  - i. Any person doing business on the Reservation who fails to obtain a business license or fails to renew a business license as provided in this Ordinance shall, in addition to being required to immediately obtain such a business license and pay for the requested fee, will be fined as noted below, unless good cause is shown to the \_\_\_\_\_ Department as to why such a license had not been obtained in a timely manner.
  - ii. If the \_\_\_\_\_ Department becomes aware that a person conducts business on the Reservation without a license, it shall deliver written notice to and informing the person that he or she operates on the Reservation in violation of this Ordinance and that he or she shall, within two working days, obtain such a license and pay such fee and fines as are indicated in the letter of notice. However, where the \_\_\_\_\_ Department has reason to believe that the health, safety, welfare, or morals of the residents of the Reservation are endangered by the continuation of such business activity, the \_\_\_\_\_ Department may order such business to cease all business activity until it has obtained a license. Such order may be appealed in accordance with the procedure set forth in Section B.6 of this Ordinance.
  - iii. Upon notice from the \_\_\_\_\_ Department, pursuant to the provisions of this Ordinance, said person(s) shall immediately cease to conduct business on the Reservation until a business license has been obtained and all fees and penalties applicable thereto have been paid. If the person fails to comply, the \_\_\_\_\_ Department shall petition the Hualapai Tribal Court to hold an expedited hearing on the matter. If the person fails to appear or fails to show good cause, the Hualapai Tribal Court shall issue appropriate relief, including, but not limited to, an injunction and/or order to cease business.
  - iv. Any entity doing business on the Reservation without a business license who fails to obtain a license within the time period required by the \_\_\_\_\_ Department as provided in this section, or any person whose license to do business has been revoked by any court or agency of competent jurisdiction pursuant to any provision of this Ordinance, shall immediately cease to conduct business on the



Reservation; provided, that upon a showing of good cause, the Hualapai Tribal Court may grant the entity a reasonable period of time during which to conclude its business, if the business does not endanger the health, safety, welfare, or morals of residents of the Reservation. Where notice to cease business is issued by the Hualapai Tribal Court, notice shall be hand-delivered to the business or forwarded by certified mail, return receipt requested.

- c. Recovery of Property - A person may recover all such property incapacitated or impounded under this Ordinance by paying to the Hualapai Tribe the costs incurred by the tribe in carrying out any legal proceedings, and a civil fine not to exceed \$\_\_\_\_\_ per day for each day that passes since the person was ordered by the Hualapai Tribal Court to obtain a tribal business license or to otherwise comply with this Ordinance.
- d. Exclusion
  - i. If any person doing business on the Reservation who has been directed by the Hualapai Tribal Court to cease doing business on the Reservation, either pursuant to this Ordinance or any other Hualapai Tribal law, fails to comply, then the \_\_\_\_\_ Department shall petition the Hualapai Tribal Court for, or the Court on its own motion shall issue, a show cause order as to why the said business shall not be excluded from the Reservation. The Hualapai Tribal Court shall hold a hearing upon the matter as soon as possible. If the person fails to appear or fails to show good cause, the Hualapai Tribal Court shall order the Hualapai Tribal Police to take appropriate actions.
  - ii. In conjunction with subsection (D.1.d.i) of this section, where the person(s) engaging in business are not members of the Hualapai Tribe, the Hualapai Tribal Court shall order the Hualapai Tribal Police to physically remove all person(s) operating the business from the Reservation along with any personal property that can be removed without causing permanent damage to it. For property that cannot be removed, such as a building, the Hualapai Tribal Court shall order, and the Hualapai Tribal Police shall implement, the incapacitation of said property by padlocking or other means so that it can no longer be used to carry out the business.
- e. Civil Fines. Any person who violates, omits, neglects, or refuses to comply with any of the provisions of this Ordinance may be assessed a penalty of not less than \$100.00 nor more than \$250.00 for the first violation, and not less than \$250.00 nor more than \$500.00 for the second violation, and not less than \$500.00 nor more than \$750.00 for the third violation, and not less than \$750.00 nor more than \$1,000.00 for the fourth and each subsequent violation.<sup>4</sup>

- 2. Interest; Collection Costs - Failure to pay the license fee on or before the due date of any amount payable hereunder whether as license fee or otherwise shall bear interest at a rate of eight percent (8%) compounded annually from the date from which the fee became due and payable. In addition

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<sup>4</sup>Fines reflect Section 6.154 of the Hualapai Law and Order Code where fines for Trespass cannot exceed \$1,000.00.

to other penalties and interest imposed under this Ordinance, a person in violation of this Ordinance may be required to pay the costs of collection, including but not limited to attorney's fees, incident to any administrative or judicial proceeding brought to enforce the provisions of this Ordinance.

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## Hualapai Tribe Business License Application

941 Hualapai Way, P.O. Box 179, Peach Springs, AZ 86434, (928) 769-2216



This Business License Application must be approved before a Business License can be issued. See: <http://hualapai-nsn.gov/>  
No business activity can be conducted until a Business License has been issued, excepting exemptions listed below  
Applicants must hold any other permits or professional licenses & insurance that may be required in their industry.

### Exemptions from this application process (Section C.2.a)

1. Governmental entities, tribal enterprises, employees of a business, agents of artists and performers
2. Hualapai tribal members/families whose annual sales are less than \$7,500, including fundraising, garage & estate sales
3. Hualapai tribal members/families are selling traditional Indian arts & handicrafts or practicing traditional medicine
4. Persons obtaining permits under Hualapai Tribal Ordinance 2B, Ordinance 24-70 & Ordinance 61-D
5. Persons solicited by the tribe to do business on the reservation such as responding to an RFP or IFB
6. Entities exempted by resolution of the Hualapai Tribal Council.

### Exemptions from paying the application fee, but not from applying for a business license (Section C.2.b)

- a. Any church engaged in raising funds for religious or charitable purposes.
- b. Any accredited school, where no part of the income accrues to the personal benefit of any individual.
- c. Any other business, the entire proceeds of which are distributed to any charitable, religious, or educational groups
- d. All nonprofit, charitable organizations that raise funds to benefit the community.
- e. Any business proposed by a member of the Hualapai Tribe not listed in the exemptions listed above
- f. Utility and telecommunications companies; all other exemptions recognized by federal law and statutes.

### License Requested (Section C.4)

Hualapai Tribal member = \$0.00

Tribal Member ID: \_\_\_\_\_

### Non-Hualapai Tribal members

\_\_\_\_\_ Short-Term: One (1) to seven (7) days = \$50.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Seasonal: More than seven (7) days but less than three (3) months = \$100.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Annual: Three (3) months or more = \$150.00

**Renewal:** Application for an annual business license shall be made 30 days prior to expiration of such license.  
For any license in this Section, the fee for a qualified Indian-owned firm or entity shall be one-half the amount.  
(see Attachment B for Supplemental Questionnaire for Native American Owned Companies).

### Business Information (Section C.3.c)

Business Name/DBA: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ LLC \_\_\_\_\_ Corporation \_\_\_\_\_ Sole Proprietor \_\_\_\_\_ Partnership \_\_\_\_\_ Association/Other

### Type of Business:

\_\_\_\_\_ Retail Goods \_\_\_\_\_ Retail Services \_\_\_\_\_ Wholesaler \_\_\_\_\_ Food Vendor \_\_\_\_\_ Contractor  
\_\_\_\_\_ Utility \_\_\_\_\_ Transportation \_\_\_\_\_ Manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_ Health/Med. \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Business on Tribal Lands: \_\_\_\_\_

Hours of Operation: \_\_\_\_\_ Previous Hualapai Business License Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Applicant Owner Information (Section C.3.c)

Name of Applicant/Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

### Address information

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Tele: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Web Site: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security/EIN Number(s) of Owner(s): \_\_\_\_\_



**Additional Information on Company Structure and Financials**

For all Applicants other than an individual or a sole proprietor, list names of all persons/entities who own more than a ten percent (10%) interest in the business: \_\_\_\_\_

*Ltd Liability Co:* Articles of Organization \_\_\_\_\_ Cert of Authorization \_\_\_\_\_ Operating Agreement \_\_\_\_\_  
*Corporation:* Certificate of Incorp. \_\_\_\_\_ Cert of Authorization \_\_\_\_\_ Cert of Good Standing \_\_\_\_\_  
*Partnership:* Partnership Agreement (General or Ltd) \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate of Good Standing \_\_\_\_\_  
*Association or Other:* Attach copy of agreements creating association or relationship between the parties

*Audit Opinion (please include a copy of last Independent Audit Report)*

Financial Institution: \_\_\_\_\_ Acct No. \_\_\_\_\_ Reporting: Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Accrual \_\_\_\_\_

Registered Agent (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Address for Notice of Service (if different than p.1): \_\_\_\_\_

- Services Providers shall be licensed in their respective fields and carry professional, general liability, automotive, workmen's compensation and umbrella/excess liability insurance to cover claims for bodily injury or property damage for customers, vendors or other third parties. Provide copies of licenses and certificates of insurance as listed in Attachment A upon request.
- Construction Contractors shall be licensed in the State of Arizona, be in good standing with the Arizona Registrar of Contractors and be bonded and insured. Provide copies of licenses and certificates of insurance as listed in Attachment A upon request.
- Native American Owned Companies (other than Hualapai Tribal members) please complete Supplemental Questionnaire - Attachment B
- Start-Up and Speculative Ventures Requiring a Commercial Lease and/or a Development Permit from the Tribe. Provide a business plan and proforma showing projected revenues and expenses for the first ten years of operation. These applications shall be vetted by Tribal Environmental Review Commission/Planning Department prior to the tribe issuing a business license. Please contact Planning at (928) 769-1310 for more information.
- Food Vendors are persons that produce or sell food sold directly to the end consumer, must submit proof of training within the past 2 years, in basic food handling principles that is accredited and certified by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) On-line course link: <https://www.ihf.gov/foodhandler>  
Have you included a copy of proof of completion of this training with your Application for a Tribal Business license? Provide proof of Insurance as listed in Appendix A upon request.

**Oath of Applicant**

I declare, under penalty of perjury, that the information in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and that I am a duly authorized owner, partner, director, officer or representative of the applicant.

I certify that I will operate my business in accordance with all tribal laws and consent to the jurisdiction of the Hualapai Tribal Court and service of process in matters arising from the conduct of business.

I agree to indemnify and hold the Tribe harmless from any liability or damage to persons or property.

I also understand that any false statements made above are grounds for denial or revocation of the business license.

I further understand that this Application is not a license and that no business activity may start until a Business License is issued.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

- Company shall submit an application for business license every calendar year it conducts business on the lands of the Hualapai Tribe.
- Failure to renew an annual license by January 1 of a given year shall result in the imposition of a late fee.
- The late fee shall be \$20.00 if paid after the due date but within thirty (30) days of its due date.
- Thereafter, the late fee shall increase by \$10.00 for each subsequent month that the fee is not paid.
- Late fees shall be added to and included with the total license fee.
- All Annual Licenses expire at end of the day of December 31 of the year of issuance.
- Non-refundable Application Fee must be submitted along with the application. Make checks payable to the Hualapai Tribe

**Office Use Only:**

Completed Application: \_\_\_\_\_ Application Fee: \_\_\_\_\_ Proof of Basic Food Handling Training (food vendors): \_\_\_\_\_

Business License No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date Valid: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_ Issued: \_\_\_\_\_





# Planning Meetings

## La Paz Trail of Tears Memorial Run 2022

**Yu' Nyihay Jam' jo**

### Meeting Dates:

August 11, 2021

September 22, 2021

October 13, 2021

November 10, 2021

December 8, 2021

January 12, 2022

February 9, 2022

**Time: 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM**

**Place: Multi-Purpose Building**  
(Zoom if gathering is still prohibited)

**Please RSVP**

**Each meeting will have a specific topic. Fliers forthcoming.**

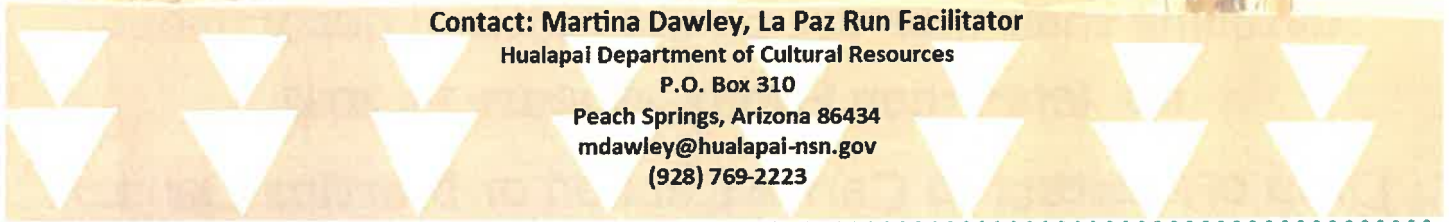
**Contact: Martina Dawley, La Paz Run Facilitator**  
Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources

P.O. Box 310

Peach Springs, Arizona 86434

[mdawley@hualapai-nsn.gov](mailto:mdawley@hualapai-nsn.gov)

(928) 769-2223





# Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources

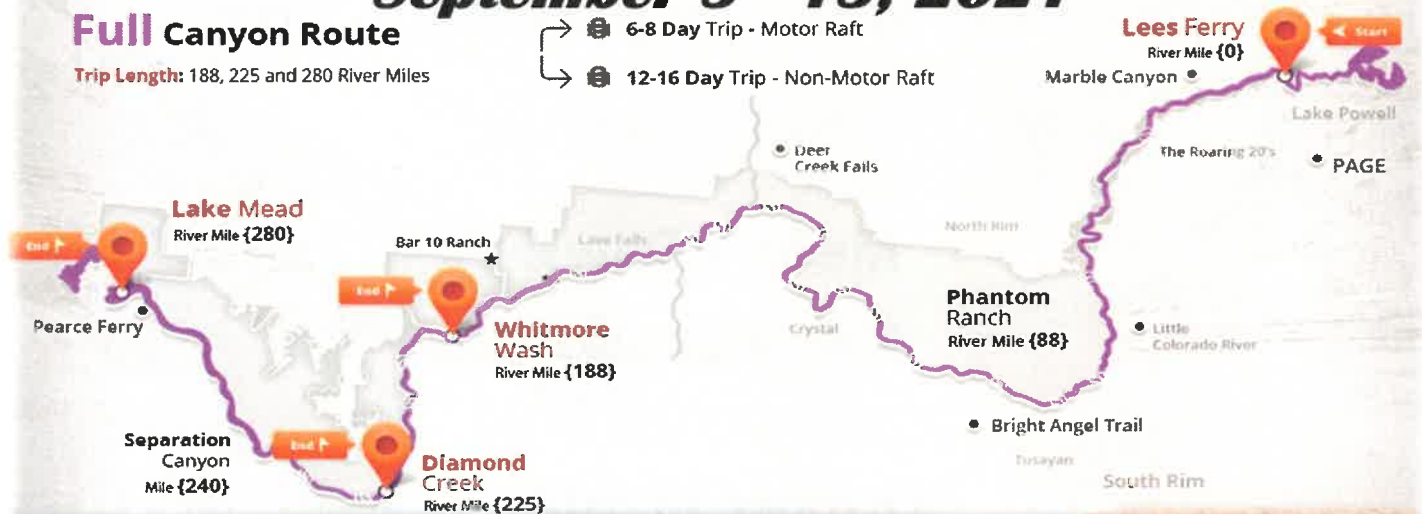
## Annual Resource Monitoring River Trip

**September 3– 13, 2021**

### Full Canyon Route

Trip Length: 188, 225 and 280 River Miles

- 6-8 Day Trip - Motor Raft
- 12-16 Day Trip - Non-Motor Raft



The Cultural Department is seeking Hualapai applicants to participate in this year's annual resource monitoring trip. Those wanting to participate can write a letter detailing their interest to the cultural department no later than Friday, August 13, 2021.

Drop off letters to Carrie Cannon or Martina Dawley.





**HWAL'BAY BA:J Enterprises, Inc.**  
**Board of Directors**  
**Vacancy Position Announcement**  
**Posted July 16, 2021**

The Hualapai Tribe is seeking four (4) qualified candidate for the HWAL'BAY BA:J Enterprises, Inc. ("HBBE") and Grand Canyon Resort Corporation Board of Directors. Four positions is vacant.

HBBE, doing business as Grand Canyon Resort Corporation, operates Grand Canyon West, Grand Canyon Skywalk, Hualapai Lodge, Hualapai River Runners, Zip Line, and related businesses. Grand Canyon West operates the world famous Skywalk attraction. Successful applicants will be interviewed and selected by the Hualapai Tribal Council.

Qualifications – knowledge of hospitality and tourism operations, finance, law, marketing and/or business development. The chosen candidate will be expected to attend monthly Board meetings in Peach Springs, AZ, as well as perform committee work. Board members are compensated for reasonable expenses to attend monthly meetings and are paid a nominal board fee.

Please send a letter of interest and resume to:

Grand Canyon Resort Corporation  
Attn: Human Resources/Recruiting  
P.O. Box 359  
Peach Springs, AZ 86434  
Fax: 928-793-4857  
recruitingbod@grandcanyonresort.com

All applicants will be required to undergo a thorough background investigation.

All applications must be received by August 16<sup>th</sup>, 2021



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# EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

## Board of Directors • Vacancy Position Announcement

Submitted by: Gina Masawytewa | Grand Canyon Resort Corporation

Revised 7/19/2021

\*\* For Quick Apply Visit [Grandcanyonwest.com](http://Grandcanyonwest.com) \*\*

Current Job Postings for Grand Canyon Resort Corporation							
Administration	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Airport	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
General Manager- GCW	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Firefighter /EMS	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Chief Executive Officer	1	D.O.E.	Varies	Gift Shop / Tour Counter	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Human Resources Director	1	D.O.E.	Varies	Supervisor	1	D.O.E/FT	Wed-Sat
Training & Development	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Cashier	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies
IT Trainer	1	D.O.E/ FT	Mon-Thurs	Security	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
IT	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Security Operations Manager	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
IT Technician I	1	D.O.E/FT	Wed-Sat	Security Guard	2	D.O.E/ FT	Varies
Procurement	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Security Guard	4	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies
Procurement Manager- Procurement	1	D.O.E/ FT	Varies	Security Guard	4	D.O.E/PT	Varies
Diamond Creek Restaurant	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Food & Beverage/ Skyview Restaurant	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Front of House (FOH)	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies	Hostess- Skyview Restaurant	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Hualapai Lodge	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Cook- Skyview	3	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Front Desk Supervisor	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Server- Skyview	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Night Auditor	1	D.O.E/ PT	Varies	Supervisor- F&B	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Custodian	1	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Food Handler/Cook- F&B	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Maintenance Tech	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies	Cashier- F&B	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Laundry Attendant	1	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Lead Food Handler/Cook- F&B	1	D.O.E/FT	Wed- Sat
Room Attendant	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies	Food Handler/ Cook- F&B	3	D.O.E/ PT	Varies
Walapai Market	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Janitorial	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Utility Employee	1	D.O.E/ PT	Varies	Supervisor	1	D.O.E/FT	Wed- Sat
Hualapai River Runners	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Zip Line	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Maintenance Supervisor	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Lead Guide	1	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies
Crew Supervisor	1	D.O.E/ FT	Varies	Supervisor	1	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies
Passenger Driver	2	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Hualapai Ranch	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Small Motor Mechanic	1	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Housekeeper	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies
Equipment Driver	1	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Housekeeping	4	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies
CDL Driver	2	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Concierge	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Operations Manager	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Maintenance Technician	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies
River Guide	5	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Ambassador	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
GCRC INTERNAL ONLY UNTIL 7/26/2021				Greeter	3	D.O.E/ FT	Varies
Tour Counter/Gift Shop Operations Manager	1	D.O.E/ FT	Varies	Transportation	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Warehouse Supervisor-Procurement	1	D.O.E/ FT	Varies	CDL Transit Driver	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Crew Supervisor- HRR	1	D.O.E/ FT	Varies	CDL Transit Drivers/Operators	2	D.O.E/FT	Varies
IT Technician I	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Technician Apprentice	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
GCRC INTERNAL ONLY UNTIL 7/23/2021				Lead CDL Transit Drivers/Operators	2	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Cashier- Gift Shop	2	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Pontoon	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Concierge- Tour Counter	1	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Pontoon Manager	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Server- Skyview Restaurant	3	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Skywalk	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Lead Cook- Skyview Restaurant	1	D.O.E/FT	Sun-Wed	Utility-Skywalk	4	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies
Food Handler/ Cook- F&B	6	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies				
Cashier- F&B	8	D.O.E/PT	Varies				
Accounting Clerk- Admin	1	D.O.E/FT	Mon-Fri				
Utility Employee- Walapai Market	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies				
Janitor- Janitorial	2	D.O.E/FT	Varies				
Janitor- Janitorial	2	D.O.E/PT	Varies				



# HUALAPAI ELDERLY SERVICES

## REQUEST FOR QUOTES

<b>Department Name</b>	Hualapai Elderly Service
<b>Department Project Officer</b>	Brook Bender, Director
<b>Required Response Time for Quote</b>	July 16, 2021
<b>Funding Source</b>	General Fund: Vehicle Repairs and Maintenance
<b>Work Specification</b>	The elderly services is seeking quotes for washing and cleaning of (2) Passenger Vans, (3) SUV's, and (1) Sedan.  Washing and drying of exteriors, vacuuming cleaning and wiping interior of vehicle surfaces, and cleaning windows.
<b>Proposed Order Commencement Date</b>	August 2, 2021
<b>Proposed Order Completion Date</b>	July 29, 2022
<b>Timeframe/Milestone</b>	Full cleaning of fleet once per quarter or upon request from department leadership.
<b>Require Qualifications and Experience</b>	Must have equipment and supplies necessary to complete work specification without accommodation from the department outside of electrical outlets for vacuuming and water.
<b>Location</b>	587 Canyon View Dr., Peach Springs, AZ 86434
<b>Submission</b>	Quotes maybe delivered to: <i>587 Canyon View Drive, Peach Springs, AZ 86434</i>  Mailed to: <i>Hualapai Tribe</i> <i>c/o Elderly Services</i> <i>P.O. Box 179, Peach Springs, AZ 86434</i>  Emailed to: <a href="mailto:bbender@hualapai-nsn.gov">bbender@hualapai-nsn.gov</a>



**HUALAPAI GAME & FISH  
P.O. BOX 249  
PEACH SPRINGS, AZ. 86434  
PHONE: (928) 769-2227**

**REQUEST FOR BID'S  
FOR THE 2021  
EXCLUSIVE AND SCHOLARSHIP ELK HUNTS  
DATES: AUGUST 26 - SEPTEMBER 10 2021**

**1— HEAD COOK & 1— ASSISTANT COOK / JANITOR**

The Hualapai Game & Fish Department is seeking bids from qualified individuals to cook and shop for the food and clean during the exclusive and Scholarship Hunts scheduled. Cook and helper must be able to interact with the hunter and guide in a friendly manner.

Hualapai Game & Fish will provide the food and necessary cookware, utensils, and dishware.

Work site will be in a remote camp like setting. Work hours at maximum 18 hrs. daily . (4a.m.— 10p.m.) Lodging and meals are provided.

Please submit a **sealed bid, that includes;**

- Statement of you qualifications.
- Price quote per hour / per day.
- Proof of food Handler's Card
- Also a menu list of Breakfast and Dinner

**BIDS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL  
July 30, 2021**



**HUALAPAI GAME & FISH  
P.O. BOX 249  
PEACH SPRINGS, AZ. 86434  
PHONE: (928) 769-2227**

**REQUEST FOR BID'S  
FOR THE 2021  
TROPHY BULL ELK HUNT'S  
DATES: SEPTEMBER 11 - 16 2021  
SEPTEMBER 18—23 2021**

**1— HEAD COOK & 1— ASSISTANT COOK / JANITOR**

The Hualapai Game & Fish Department is seeking bids from qualified individuals to cook and shop for the food and clean during the 1st and 2nd, Trophy Bull Elk Hunts scheduled. Cook and helper must be able to interact with the hunter and guide in a friendly manner.

Hualapai Game & Fish will provide the food and necessary cookware, utensils, and dishware.

Work site will be in a remote camp like setting. Work hours at maximum 18 hrs. daily . (4a.m.— 10p.m.) Lodging and meals are provided.

Please submit a **sealed bid**, that includes;

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**BIDS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL  
August 6, 2021**

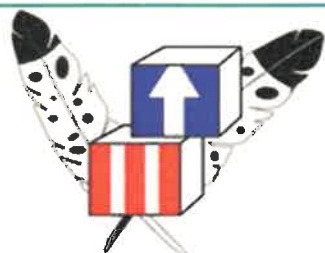
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# EDUCATION & TRAINING

## Hualapai Head Start • Volunteers Needed

Submitted by: April Keller |Hualapai Head Start



### HUALAPAI HEAD START

479 Hualapai Way Peach Springs, AZ 86434-0125

P.O. Box 179

Phone: (928) 769-2522 Fax: (928) 769-2457

*"This institution is an equal opportunity provider."*



May 25, 2021

## Head Start Announcement for **Parents** and **Tribal Department Employees**

**Heads Start Program's** long-term goals provide a framework for the program's mission, including priorities related to education, nutrition, health, and parent and family engagement program services. We also support approaches that encourage cultural and linguistic responsiveness, school readiness goals, goals specifically on child-development and early learning outcomes in each of the developmental domains (approaches to learning, social and emotional development, language and literacy, cognition, perceptual, motor and physical development).

Hualapai Tribe Head Start is a program that follows Head Start Performance Standards and the Head Start Act requirements. Head Start staff are a work in progress towards their own professional education growth. We are here to prepare children for a life-long learning through school readiness goals.

**In need: Head Start needs volunteers. Parent Volunteers,  
Tribal department employee volunteers.**

Head Start is extremely short staffed due to last year's concerns for health and safety. With continuing efforts to hire, everyday poses a challenge to ensure we can stay open or close. Please commit to your community and **VOLUNTEER!**

Tribal employees you are allowed to volunteer three hours with pay at Head Start. Ask your Director, call Human Resources, and learn how you can **VOLUNTEER** for Head Start.

### **Requirements:**

Physical and TB shot    Fingerprint Clearance Card    Background check

Looking forward to your community service for our Head Start Program. Your support means the world to children and to help keep the center open.

Hankyu

### **Mission**

Our mission for the Hwal'bay Head Start is to provide quality education, to preserve Hwal'bay culture and embrace diversity. Head Start program is empowered to embrace healthy child development, nutrition, serve children with disabilities and provide services to low income families who will create and believe in a positive future.

### **Vision**

Our vision at the Hualapai Tribe Head Start will provide a strong learning foundation with cultural values to empower children and families to become future leaders, and rebuild a community that embraces their culture for success.

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**FIRST THINGS FIRST****HUALAPAI TRIBE  
REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL****PREPARING FOR THE  
FIRST DAY OF KINDERGARTEN  
STARTS NOW**

If you have a preschooler who will be entering kindergarten this fall, it's not too early to start getting them ready. As Arizona's early childhood organization, First Things First (FTF), has many suggestions on what families can do at home to prepare their child. The [FTF Kindergarten Readiness page](https://www.firstthingsfirst.org/resources/kindergarten-readiness/), found at <https://www.firstthingsfirst.org/resources/kindergarten-readiness/>, is a resource for parents and caregivers to help children be prepared for school success.



Some ways to help your child transition to kindergarten include:

- Before the first day, talk with your child about what to expect during the school day and types of after-school activities they may be involved in. The more details kids know, the less anxious they will feel.
- Read with your child at least 20 minutes per day. Try books that repeat words. Ask questions like, "What do you think happens next?"
- Talk with your child everywhere – at home, in the car, at the store. Have real conversations with your preschooler. Make up stories or songs about your outings.
- Rehearse for the big day with test-runs of the new routine.
- Writing begins with scribbling. Give your child safe writing tools to play with, like crayons, chalk or markers and blank paper. Ask your child to tell you about their drawings. Also, writing requires fine motor strength. Your child can build hand strength by playing with play dough.
- Teach your child how to use the bathroom by themselves, to wash their hands after going to the bathroom and before eating, to blow their nose and sneeze into their elbow.
- Since preschoolers may be in places where cloth face coverings are required, help them get used to wearing them. The American Academy of Pediatrics offers reassurance that mask wearing becomes routine when reinforced by adults and peers, just like wearing a bicycle helmet and buckling into their car seats.

By turning everyday moments into learning moments, we can send our young kids to school with the skills and confidence that will help them succeed in kindergarten.

**FIRST THINGS FIRST  
HUALAPAI TRIBE REGIONAL  
PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL**

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**ABOUT FIRST THINGS FIRST**

As Arizona's early childhood agency, First Things First funds early learning, family support and children's preventive health services to help kids be successful once they enter kindergarten. Decisions about how those funds are spent are made by local councils staffed by community volunteers. To learn more, visit [FirstThingsFirst.org](https://FirstThingsFirst.org).





## UA Beginning Rancher Training

Live Cattle Demonstrations of Bull Soundness Exams, Pregnancy Testing, Vaccinations, and Selecting Replacement Heifers

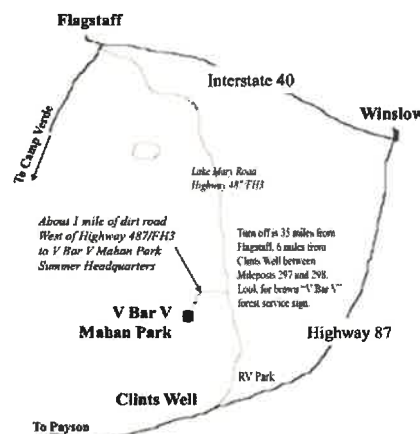
**September 18, 2021 (Saturday)**

V bar V Ranch Summer Headquarters  
Off Forest Highway 3  
(between Mileposts 297 and 298)  
Near Happy Jack, Arizona

Questions: Contact Russ Tronstad at  
tronstad@email.arizona.edu or 520-621-2425

To obtain a lunch, register by September 15<sup>th</sup>  
using the Qualtrics link of:

[https://uarizona.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_2lCnEQzdvdDd5OZ](https://uarizona.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_2lCnEQzdvdDd5OZ)



### AGENDA

9:00 – 9:30 am	Registration	
9:30 – 9:45	Introductions & Logistics	
9:45 – 10:00	Low Stress Handling Practices for Cattle	
10:00 – 11:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bull Soundness Exam</li> <li>Ultrasound/Preg Testing</li> </ul>	Rotation
11:00 – Noon	Heifer Selection and Evaluation of Replacements	
Noon – 1 pm	Lunch (provided)	
1:00 – 1:30	Range Nutrition / Supplementation / Breeding ...	Rotation
1:30 – 2:00	Vaccination Protocols on the V Bar V	
2:00 – 2:30	Value Based Marketing Programs	
2:30 – 3:00	Closing Remarks / Evaluations / Q & A	

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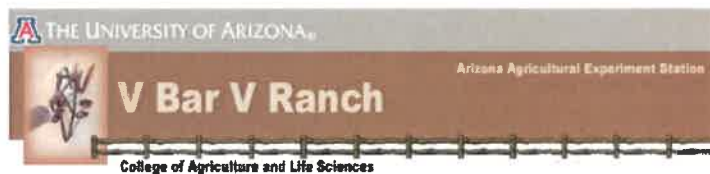


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Agriculture





## Attention Peach Springs Youth!

The Peach is looking for a Youth Intern  
interested in radio as a career

If You are interested in:

- On the Air Audio production, Electrical or Radio Engineering

Funded By: Arizona Broadcast Association



-\$12 an hour stipend

Until the end of 2021 only

-Your hours will be flexible

### *Requirements*

- *Have to be 14-up*
- *An Enrolled Student. Or planning on going to school*

*Please Call Terri At 928-769-1110 for any  
Questions. Or If you are interested.-KWLP The Peach*



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HEALTH & SAFETY INFORMATION

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Peach Springs Indian Health Service • Immunizations Clinic

Submitted by: Rebecca Rice | Peach Springs Indian Health Service



## Peach Springs Indian Health Service

### Walk-In

### Immunizations Clinic



**Wednesdays from 9-12 & 1-4.  
At Peach Springs Indian Health  
Clinic. All immunizations will be  
offered if available including  
the COVID-19 immunizations  
For 12 year and older first and  
second dose.**

#### For immunization

- ⇒ **Must not have a fever or active COVID-19 symptoms**
- ⇒ **Not on quarantine or isolation.**
- ⇒ **Bring photo ID and insurance cards (if applicable)**
- ⇒ **If you receive your COVID -19 first dose here, you will receive your follow-up date to come back for your second dose.**
- ⇒ **If under the age of 18 years old you must have a guardian with you.**





## IHS Clinic

# Dental Fluoride Varnishing

Dental Fluoride varnishing is one of the best ways to prevent tooth decay. Varnish (Cavity Shield) is a topical application that hardens upon contact with saliva therefore is safe to use on younger children. Varnish helps stop tooth decay in its early stages. It can be applied to teeth up to 4X a year to help slow down the cavity causing bacteria.

The application is painless and does not require numbing or drilling in the mouth. Minor risks include: gagging, or a funny taste when applied.

Parker Dental Hygienist, Nida Lerch RDH. BS Will provide dental screening and apply fluoride varnish for Children ages 0-15 every third Friday of the month in Peach Springs Clinic. Please call the clinic for an appointment, Limited walk-ins are available.

NEXT VISIT IS FRIDAY: June 18<sup>th</sup>, July 16<sup>th</sup>, August 20<sup>th</sup>, September 17<sup>th</sup>, October 15<sup>th</sup>, November 19<sup>th</sup>, and December 17<sup>th</sup>.





# 1-833-741-1831

## We Have a 24-Hour Nurse Advice Line for You!

### *Speak right to a nurse*

The IHS Colorado River Service Unit wants to make sure you have the answers you need when you need them. Our nurse advice line is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and 365 days a year. This service is available to all registered patients of any CRSU facility: Parker Indian Health Center, Peach Springs Health Center, Supai Health Station, Chemehuevi Health Station, and the Irene Benn Health Center.

### *Immediate answers to your health questions*

If your doctor's office is closed, call the 24-hour nurse advice line for questions about health concerns or health-related topics. We are here to help with things such as:

- Symptoms you cannot or do not know how to manage
- Concern about a sick family member
- Proper dosage of medications
- Questions about pregnancy

Our team of medical professionals give helpful advice that is easy to follow. They can also help determine if you need to visit your doctor or an urgent care center.\*

### *Help is just a phone call away*

For questions about your symptoms and care, call 1-833-741-1831 (TTY/TDD: 711) and select "nurse" at the prompt. Nurse advice staff speak English and Spanish. For additional languages, please ask for a translator when you are connected.

\* if you or a family member is having a life-threatening condition, immediately call 911 or go to the emergency room.



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*Health concerns can happen at any time. Our 24-hour nurse advice line is always available to provide help right over the phone.*

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# COVID-19 Delta Variant: What Community Members Need to Know

COVID-19 cases are rising in some tribal communities due to a new strain of the virus called the Delta variant. This fact sheet summarizes what you need to know to stay safe from Delta:

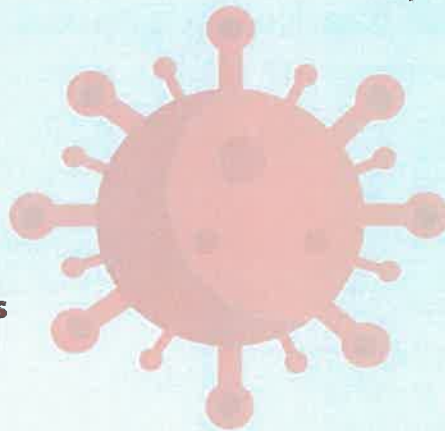
- The Delta variant spreads much more easily and quickly than previous strains of the virus.
- Unvaccinated people are at high risk of getting sick from Delta.
- People who have been fully vaccinated are well protected against severe disease from Delta.
- Delta is just one strain of COVID-19. The virus will continue to change and make new strains as it spreads from person to person.
- Vaccines are highly effective against all known strains of the virus. **Get vaccinated today to protect yourself, your family, and your community against new strains of COVID-19.**



## How contagious is the Delta variant?

The Delta variant is much more contagious and spreads much faster than earlier strains of the virus.

The Delta variant has spread rapidly in the US. In June, Delta was responsible for just 10% of all cases of COVID-19 in the US. That number jumped to 50% in July. Increasing rates of infection show that Delta is highly contagious.



## How effective are vaccines against the Delta variant?

All 3 available vaccines are highly effective against the Delta variant. Recent studies have shown all 3 vaccines provide significant protection against illness, hospitalization, and death from Delta. Vaccination is the best way to protect you and your family from Delta.

## Am I at risk of getting sick from the Delta variant?

People who have not been vaccinated are at very high risk of getting sick from Delta.

Fully vaccinated people are at very low risk of getting sick from Delta.

Masks help prevent the spread of variants. People who are not fully vaccinated should wear a mask in indoor public places and crowded outdoor settings.

## What is the Delta Plus variant and should I be concerned?

The Delta Plus variant is a new strain of COVID-19 that was first discovered in April. It is unknown whether it is more contagious than the previous Delta variant.

The best way to protect yourself against all strains is to get vaccinated.







Activity	Location	Time	Distance	Risk Level
Reducing Our COVID-19 Risk	Is the activity outside? <b>YES</b> OR <b>NO</b>	Is the activity 15 minutes or less? <b>YES</b> OR <b>NO</b>	Can you be 6 feet away the entire time? <b>YES</b> OR <b>NO</b>	
Eating baked goods together	Is the activity outside? <b>NO</b>	Is the activity 15 minutes or less? <b>NO</b>	Can you be 6 feet away the entire time? <b>NO</b>	
Working on a project with friends	Is the activity outside? <b>YES</b>	Is the activity 15 minutes or less? <b>NO</b>	Can you be 6 feet away the entire time? <b>NO</b>	
Painting traditional pottery at home	Is the activity outside? <b>NO</b>	Is the activity 15 minutes or less? <b>YES</b>	Can you be 6 feet away the entire time? <b>YES</b>	



**Fishing with family**

ACTIVITY IS  
LOW RISK

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Is the activity 15 minutes or less?

**Distance**  
Can you be 6 feet away the entire time?

**#StopTheSpread**

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**YOU CAN SPREAD COVID-19 WITHOUT KNOWING YOU ARE INFECTED.**

**PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING TO AVOID INFECTING OTHERS.**

**#STOPTHESPREAD**

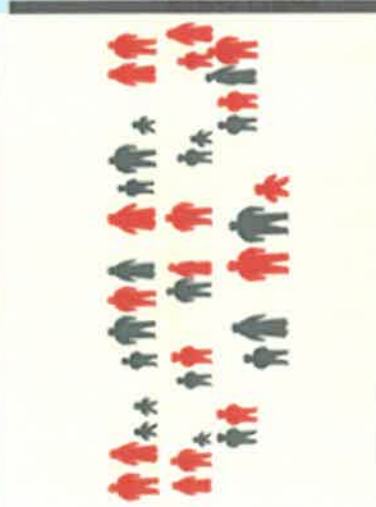
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**PREVENT COMMUNITY SPREAD BY SOCIAL DISTANCING & AVOIDING INDOOR GATHERINGS.**

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**CARE FOR YOUR COMMUNITY BY STAYING HOME AND SAVING LIVES.**

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<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html>

# Symptoms of Coronavirus (COVID-19)

**Know the symptoms of COVID-19, which can include the following:**



Symptoms can range from mild to severe illness, and appear 2–14 days after you are exposed to the virus that causes COVID-19.

## Seek medical care immediately if someone has Emergency Warning Signs of COVID-19

- Trouble breathing
- Persistent pain or pressure in the chest
- New confusion
- Inability to wake or stay awake
- Pale, gray, or blue-colored skin, lips, or nail beds, depending on skin tone

This list is not all possible symptoms. Please call your healthcare provider for any other symptoms that are severe or concerning to you.



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# Help Protect Yourself and Others from COVID-19



Stay 6 feet from others



Wear a mask



Wash your hands often



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Accessible version: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/communities/hispanic-children-and-youth/mas-espanol.html>


# STOP THE SPREAD OF GERMS | COVID-19 |



**Get a COVID-19 vaccine.**




**Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash and wash your hands.**



**Stay at least 6 feet (about 2 arm lengths) from other people.**



**When in public, wear a mask over your nose and mouth.**



**Do not touch your eyes, nose, and mouth.**



**Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces.**



**Stay home when you are sick, except to get medical care.**



**Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.**



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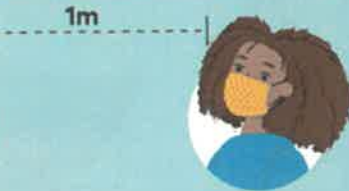




# HOW TO PROTECT YOURSELF FROM COVID-19

## HOW THE COVID-19 VIRUS SPREADS

## DO THIS TO PROTECT YOURSELF AND OTHERS



### Hualapai Early Childhood Development • Car Seat Program

*Submitted by: Cassi Moore | Hualapai Health, Education & Wellness*

The Hualapai Early Childhood Development Program offers a car seat program. This program is available to any families to any families in the Peach Springs or Mohave County area. You automatically qualify! The requirements are simple. You must watch 3 short videos, followed by a quiz. If you have internet access, you can do this at home. Please contact Cassi or Allysa at the Health, Education & Wellness Department at (928) 769-2207. We do appointment only and operate on Thursdays between the hours of 1:00 pm—5:00 pm.

Hankyu!







## Hualapai Tribal Practices for Wellness in Indian Country



# Talking Circle

**Mondays @ 12p-1p**

**For JULY 2021**

**Join Zoom Meeting**

**<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81794650580?pwd=Q1RLQ2h1S19KZndBQ0xRMDREc0ZZUT09>**

**Meeting ID: 817 9465 0580**

**Passcode: 996323**

**For more information, call Jessica Powskey at (928) 769-2207 EXTENSION 203**  
**This presentation is provided by the Hualapai Tribal Practices for Wellness in Indian Country Grant and the Hualapai Health Education and Wellness Center**  
**Prevention Program**  
**448 Hualapai Way**  
**Peach Springs, AZ 86434**

# 9 WEEK Family & Friends Challenge

***Who is on your team?***

Complete as many miles as possible!

**Start Date: August 1st**

**End Date: September 30th**

This is a family & friends challenge:

- Sign up **deadline: August 6th**
- Must have **1 youth under 18**
- 4 participants per team
- Winners: Top 3 teams (1st, 2nd, 3rd w/ most miles)
- Turn in your team miles every week on Friday via email or drop off

NO limit to how many miles you walk.

If you need a pedometer come by the EW4H / TPWIC office (Healthy Heart building)

For more information please contact Shaundeen Buffalo

Email: [sbuffalo@hualapai-nsn.gov](mailto:sbuffalo@hualapai-nsn.gov)

Phone: (928) 769 - 1630

EW4H / TPWIC Office by Radio Station





Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# 2021 Family & Friends Challenge

## Registration

Open to all community members!

**Starting Date:**

August 1, 2021

**Ending Date:**

September 30, 2021

Must Register before August 6, 2021

Team captain: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Shoe Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Teammate: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_

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Shoe size: \_\_\_\_\_

Team captain contact information:

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

*Disclaimer: I assume all risks associated with running or walking in this event including, but not limited to contact with other participants, the effects of the weather, including high heat and/or humidity, traffic, and the conditions of the road, all such risks being and appreciated by myself. I am able to physically and medically able to enter this activity. Having read this waiver and knowing these facts and in consideration of your accepting my entry form, myself: I, waiver and release Hualapai Tribal Practices for Wellness in Indian Country (TPWIC), Employees Working for Health (EW4H) and all sponsors, supporters and officials, their representatives and successors from all claims of liabilities of any kind arising out of this event for any legitimate purpose. I give permission for TPWIC and EW4H to use photos, video recording, voices, and quotations from this event for promotional purposes and for upcoming activities.*

**Team Captain Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_



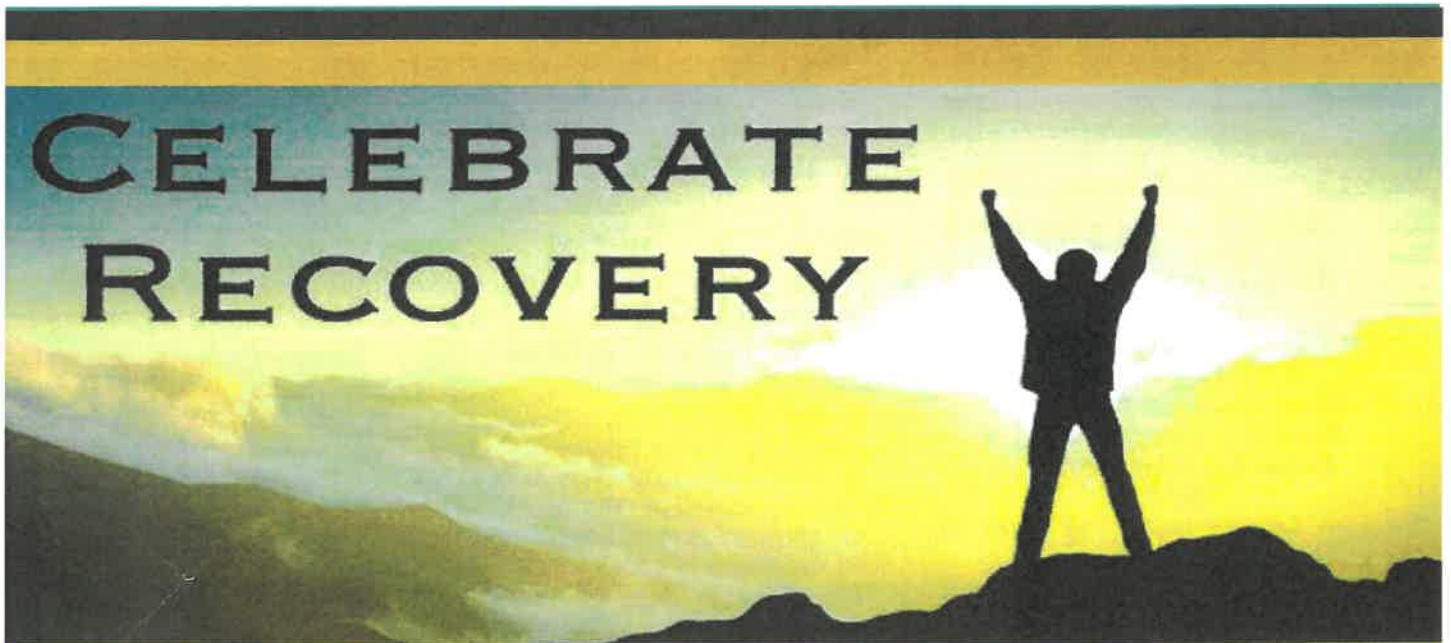
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**A Christ-Centered, 12 Step Recovery Program for Anyone Struggling with Hurt, Pain, or Addiction of Any Kind.**

**Please Join Stever Sage and Walt Kisemh**

**Mondays and Thursdays from 6-7pm**

**In The**

**Health Education and Wellness Large Conference Room  
(Masks and Social Distancing Apply)**

**or**

**Via Zoom**

**At**

**Meeting ID: 935 3253 8463**

**Passcode: 976711**

**For More Info or Questions Please Contact**

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**Text (928) 853-8607**



# COMMUNITY MESSAGES

## Inspirational & Encouragement Corner

Submitted by: Josie Powsey

### Inspirational & Encouragement Corner

Gam yu je? Sending you a few encouraging words to keep you happy and be safe in the days ahead! God is in control!

**A Secret of Life...  
Road has speed limits...  
Bank has money limits...  
Exam has time limits...**

**BUT**

**Thinking has no limits, so think big  
and achieve big!!**

Have a place to go – is a home.  
Having someone to love – is a family.  
Having both – is a blessing!! Amen!

Science says that we need at least 4 basic elements to survive!

• **Water • Air • Food • Light**

And look what the Bible tells us about Jesus!

I am the Living Water!

I am the Breath of Life!

I am the Bread of Life!

I am the Light of the World

Science was right! We need Jesus to live!! Amen!

*Have a safe and enjoyable day!  
Mah, Han kyu!*

## Mohave County Awarded Two Grants Totaling Nearly \$1 Million

Submitted by: Charlotte Navanick | Ute Tribe Public Relations | thebee.news

### Mohave County Awarded Two Grants Totaling Nearly \$1 Million

Written by: The Bee News | June 7, 2021

<https://www.thebee.news/mohave-county-awarded-two-grants-totaling-nearly-1-million/>

#### **Mohave County Awarded Two Grants Totaling Nearly \$1 Million: Durable Bridge Over Truxton Wash & Griffith Park Road Improvement**

MOHAVE COUNTY, AZ (June 7, 2021) – Mohave County is among the beneficiaries as the U.S. Department of Transportation's (USDOT) Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) announced more than \$5.6 million in Accelerated Innovation Deployment (AID) Demonstration program grants to help seven states make the most of limited resources. The program allows states to bring projects to fruition in a more cost-effective way by using innovative practices. Alabama, Arizona, Michigan, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, South Dakota and Utah will receive money for their respective projects.



Mohave County and its ADOT partner will receive \$448,300 in grant funds and the County will use Composite Arch Bridge System (CABS) technology to build a durable bridge crossing on Antares Road over Truxton Wash with reduced road closure times and construction costs. Used for the first time in Arizona, CABS provides rapid, simplified construction and arches that can be easily transported and put in place without heavy equipment or large crews. ADOT will administer Project design and construction on behalf of the County, which secured the discretionary award of competitive grant funds received.

Currently, Antares Road is a native/dirt arterial roadway, and the crossing of the Truxton Wash is an at-grade dip, subject to frequent, storm-driven closures when the Wash conveys storm water flow. In 2017 alone, Antares Road was closed for a total of 43 days because of flowing water in Truxton Wash. This new project will eliminate a 28.5-mile longer alternate routing during periods of Antares Road closures.

In its grant application, Mohave County emphasized that this bridge would be “an innovative, cost-efficient solution toward delivering an all-weather crossing of Truxton Wash and subsequently permitting the County to pursue hard surfacing of 32 miles of Antares Road.”

Antares Road is a federally classified rural major collector maintained by the County and inventoried as Indian Reservation Road No. C149 by the Hualapai Tribal Nation. The Tribe recognizes Antares Road as a major route in the Tribe's current long-range transportation plan that serves the Hualapai Indian Reservation influence area encompassing access to employment centers, schools, Tribal headquarters and essential/emergency services. The grant money will be coupled with Mohave County's matching funds to complete the project. The timeline for this project is anticipated to be completed within a year from now. It is expected to be immediately beneficial to all those utilizing the area. Mohave County has also been awarded \$500,000 in Arizona Commerce Authority grant funds, with the county matching 42% (\$358,240) for a new 2.5-mile section line gravel ad bisecting the eastern Griffith Industrial Park area (directly off I-40, 13 miles west of Kingman) that delivers the first Mohave County maintained road serving 1,128 acres of heavy manufacturing zoned vacant land ready for development with its access to electric and water utilities, as well as, Interstate 40 Exit 37 (Griffith Road). The Mohave County Board of Supervisors established Apache Road – citing its importance to the already established Griffith Industrial Park – as a county highway in February 1999 under Resolution No. 99-59. Apache Road construction provides an essential link toward attracting new large scale commercial and manufacturing firms within its area, making for cost-effective investment of Economic Strength Projects and Mohave County matching funds. These typically represent high revenue and job intensive uses in the general processing and manufacturing of materials or products.





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## **Endangered Black-Footed Ferrets Proposed for Reintroduction Throughout Arizona 40-Million-Acre Range Expansion Would Also Include New Mexico, Utah**



*Black-footed ferret. Photo courtesy of Dean Biggins, USGS*

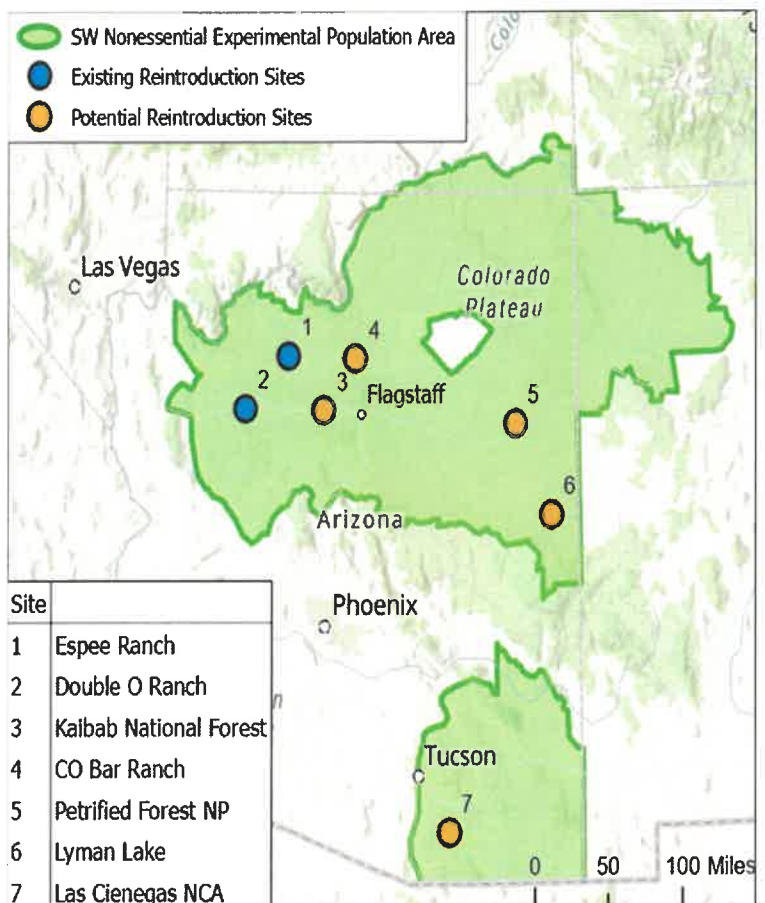
FLAGSTAFF, Ariz.— The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service proposed today to reintroduce endangered black-footed ferrets to four new areas in Arizona once their prey, prairie dogs, have increased sufficiently in numbers. A fifth area's prairie dog population needs more growth and would be considered for ferret reintroduction later.

"Black-footed ferrets are not just exceedingly cute, they also play a fascinating evolutionary role as specialized predators of prairie dogs," said Michael Robinson at the Center for Biological Diversity. "Returning these animals to a much wider area represents a welcome commitment to increase the numbers and distribution of prairie dogs and start healing our much-abused arid grasslands."

A small population of black-footed ferrets was first reintroduced to northern Arizona in the 1990s. Today's proposal could increase the eventual range of the ferrets to more than 40 million acres of potential habitat elsewhere in northern Arizona, along with eastern and southeastern Arizona, northwestern New Mexico and southeastern Utah.

The first four potential reintroduction sites would be in the Williams and Tusayan ranger districts of the Kaibab National Forest, the CO Bar Ranch, Petrified Forest National Park and near a reservoir called Lyman Lake. A fifth area, on Las Cienegas National Conservation Area, supports a reintroduced prairie dog population that must still grow substantially before it could support ferrets.

The federal proposal would also facilitate reintroduction to sovereign Tribal lands of the Hopi Tribe, Hualapai Tribe and the Navajo Nation, if any of these entities decide to reintroduce ferrets. The Navajo Nation is the largest Indian reservation in the United States and comprises more than 17.5 million acres in Arizona, New Mexico and Utah.







"Forty years ago just 18 individual black-footed ferrets survived," said Robinson. "Thanks to the Endangered Species Act, hardworking biologists, and a forward-thinking Biden administration, we can now begin to envision the ferrets sufficiently recovered to never again teeter on the brink of extinction."

#### Background

Ferrets are members of the mustelid family, which includes otters, weasels and skunks. Black-footed ferrets evolved to prey on prairie dogs and nearly went extinct in part because of a federal program to systematically poison prairie dogs on behalf of the livestock industry beginning a century ago.

In 1981, two years after the black-footed ferret was believed to have gone extinct, a small population was discovered in Wyoming. When that population became threatened by introduced sylvatic plague, the last 18 ferrets were captured alive. Fifteen of them, representing the genetic equivalent of seven distinct founders, were used to start a captive population that has been used for reintroduction in several western states.

Recovery of the black-footed ferret has been hindered by continued persecution of prairie dogs, which suppress their numbers and limit their distribution, as well as by recurring outbreaks of plague.

The Center for Biological Diversity is a national, nonprofit conservation organization with more than 1.7 million members and online activists dedicated to the protection of endangered species and wild places.

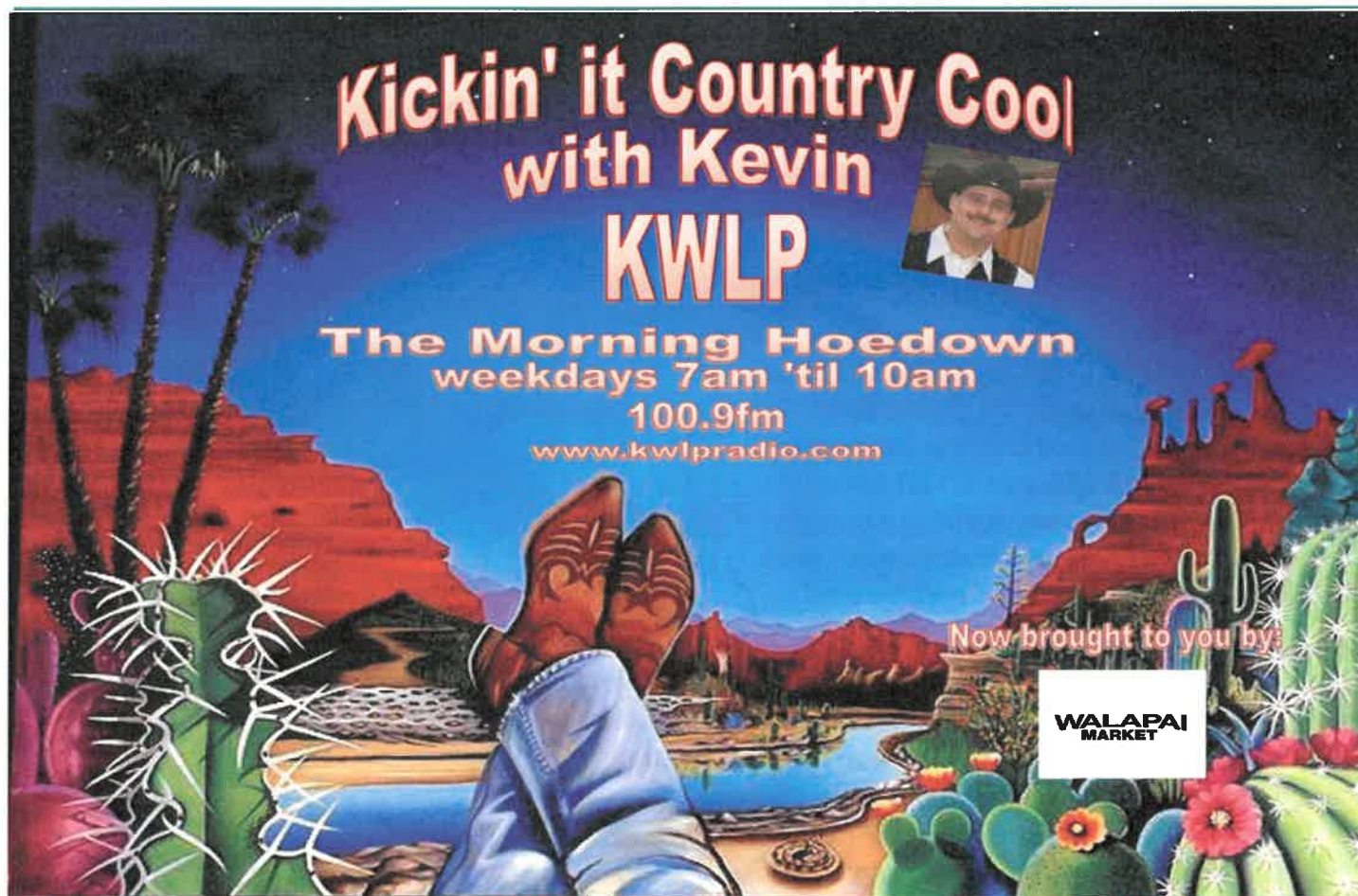
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**New Children's Book Sequel to "Our Smallest Warriors, Our Strongest Medicine: Overcoming COVID-19"**

## **Our Smallest Warriors, Our Strongest Medicine: Honoring Our Teachings during COVID-19**



This book was written and illustrated by an all-indigenous collaboration at John Hopkin's University

If you would like a copy of this book for your family, please email Jessica Powskey ([jpowskey@hualapai-nsn.gov](mailto:jpowskey@hualapai-nsn.gov)) or David Dawley ([ddawley@hualapai-nsn.gov](mailto:ddawley@hualapai-nsn.gov)) or call Health Education and Wellness:

**928-769-2207**





# DEVON CHERRY

SYSTEM ADMINISTRATOR

IT DEPARTMENT - GCRC

## Gamyu'

I started working for Grand Canyon Resort Corporation in the IT department 6 years ago. I started as phone support and help desk. After a year I was promoted to the Tech 1 desk technician position. After time training with the System Admin at that time I was able to get my CompTIA A+ certification. After three years of being a Tech 1 I was chosen to become the new System Administrator. When I received the promotion I quickly got more certifications in Networking, Security, Cloud Management, and Wireless management. These proved useful when rebuilding our network and setting up new security protocols.

Since being the System Administrator I have rebuilt our network, updated our phone systems, moved our file sharing and email servers to the cloud, moved out accounting and HR servers to the cloud, updated our endpoint and email security systems, replaced radios that communicate between switches, updated our email and user based directories, installed a new photo sales system, and upgraded and programmed two new data centers. This work has proved to be very helpful during the closure as it made it easier for the users to work remotely from their homes. The thing I am most of proud of is that the email security that I deployed stopped a known malware attack that hit the City of Kingman. This saved us from a hard time and potential lost revenue.



# PHYNA COOK

INTERIM PONTOON MANAGER

HUALAPI RIVER RUNNERS / PONTOON - GCRC

## Gamyu'

Hello my name is Phyna Cook. I am Havasupai and Hualapai. I was raised in Supai village and I speak the Havasupai Language. During the summers I would visit on the Hualapai Reservation. I started working during the summers with Hualapai River Running from 2006-2008 as a seasonal swamper/packer. 2010 I returned to work with River Runners as a river guide, then returned to college in Phoenix, Az.

In 2012 I returned to River Running as a River Guide, as the rafting season started, I transferred to Pontoon as a greeter then became a pontoon river guide. I have always loved being outdoors and next to the river. Currently I am still working with pontoon as Interim Pontoon Manager. I am grateful to have gotten this opportunity to try new things.





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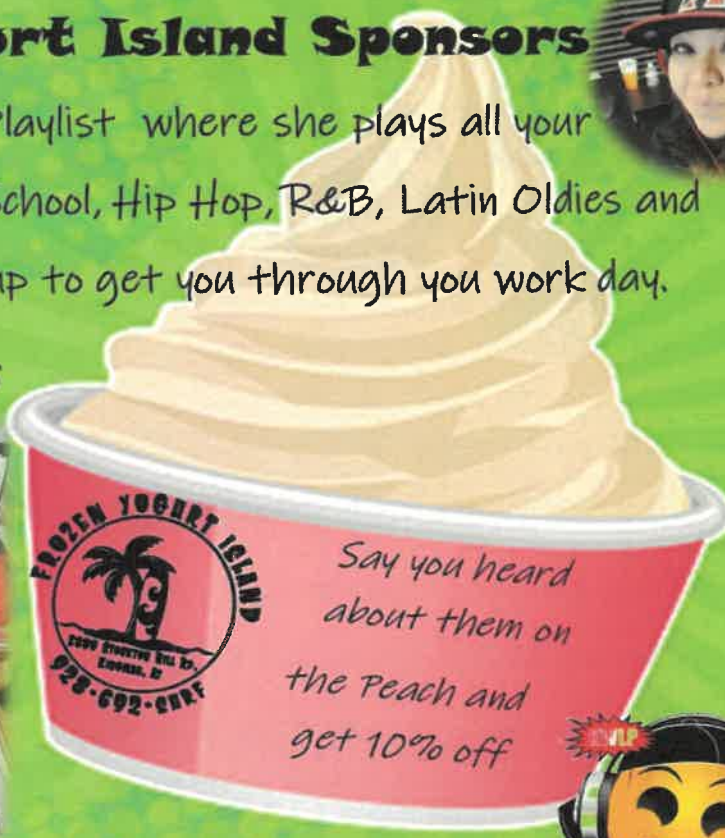
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2 hours of Chica's Playlist where she plays all your favorite Jams from Old School, Hip Hop, R&B, Latin Oldies and Top 40. Chica mixes it up to get you through you work day.



Add all your favorite toppings



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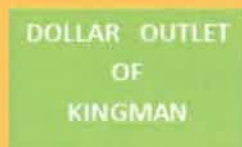






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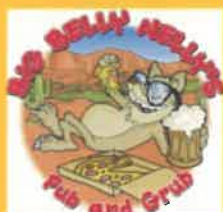
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# WE LOVE OUR VOLUNTEERS



## KWLP, "The Peach" Proudly Announces and Congratulates June 2021 Volunteer of the Month: Steve DeFord, aka Pastor Steve



Steve DeFord, aka Pastor Steve continue to be an invaluable Peach team member. He and his family have supported and participated in the Hualapai Tribe radio programs since its inception as a Kidstar station and then EPCH, internet only. Pastor Steve is host of *Redeemed and Free* airing on Wednesday evenings at 6:00pm and on Sunday mornings at 10:00am.



"Redeemed and Free" always begins with the segment "The Truth with Ms. Sherry," hosted by his wife. During his show Pastor Steve shares scripture and features Southern Gospel music. Pastor Steve is well known in the PSA community as the Pastor at the Hualapai Baptist Highway Church. Three of his sons were original KIDSTAR show hosts and one, Micah worked at the station. Miss Sherry also teaches at the local Church school. Steve's brother Jeff shares his syndicated show: "Down to the Roots," with Peach listeners at no cost to the station. This Bluegrass show immediately follows Steve's show at 7:00pm Wednesday evenings.

Steve has always impressed staff with his professionalism in his preparations and presentations. When able, Steve helps at events, solicits advertisers and personally contributes regularly to Listener give aways, as well. He rarely misses a show, meeting or training! We truly appreciate all he does with and for KWLP and the community! Hank'yu Steve!

Pastor Steve will receive incentives valued at \$100 for being Volunteer of the Month! If you might be interested in volunteering, call at (928) 769-1110.

This month, Volunteer of the Month is sponsored in part by:

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